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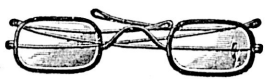
U DON'T need  2 C our PRICES
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CABLE NEWS.

The Armenian Question in the House of Commons—British Subjects in Hawaii.

Cuban Interference With Planters—Spanish Squadron Ordered to Antilles.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—Hon. H. G. Curzon, Under Secretary for the Foreign Office, replying to a question by Mr. Bowles, M. P., in the House of Commons, said to-day that several communications had been received from Turkey upon the subject of the proposed Armenian reforms. Unfortunately, he said, the communications were unsatisfactory. The project of reforms which had been suggested by Russia, France and England had not received the official support of Germany, Austria and Italy. But the powers last named, Mr. Curzon said, he believed were in sympathy with the reforms proposed. As to whether the government would undertake any action beyond diplomatic representations or negotiations without previously informing parliament of the grounds upon which the action would be made, he was unable to say, nor could he make any declaration regarding the course the government would find themselves called upon to pursue in regard to Armenian affairs.

In reply to an interrogation by Mr. Luttrell, member for the Tavistock division of Devonshire, relative to the case of W. H. Ryckards, an Englishman, now under sentence of thirty-five years imprisonment in Hawaii for complicity in the recent royalist rebellion, Mr. Curzon said that as Mr. Ryckard had surrendered his British nationality, the government had no locus standi in the matter.

The bill to re-enact clause 13 of the Irish land bill was read a third time in the House of Commons this evening.

A dispatch to the Daily News from Constantinople reports that meetings of ministers have taken place at the palace on three successive nights, lasting until midnight, to discuss Armenian matters. It is reported also that the Kaiser has been asked to intervene, but declined on the ground that the Porte has disregarded his advice to introduce reforms. President Faure declined to act except in concert with the powers.

Shazada Nazrulla Khan, of Afghanistan, who came here in the latter part of May, and who has given no end of worry, has terminated his visit. He departed for Paris this afternoon. The leave taking was an affair of considerable pomp.

The White Star steamer Majestic, for New York, will have among her passengers Henry M. Stanley, M.P., the African explorer; Charles H. Sherill, jr., New York, chairman of the Yale committee on track athletics; Thomas F. Bayard, jr., and Mrs. Pierpont Morgan and daughter.

Sir Archibald Campbell has arrived at Inverary, Scotland, to complete arrangements for the march of his band of pipers through Glencoe. He denies the report that his expedition is for the purpose of celebrating the massacre of the Macdonald clan by the Campbells, but says his pipers will merely traverse Glencoe en route for Inverary to a Gaelic concert to be held in Oban. The Macdonald clansmen maintain a turbulent attitude, and mutterings of anger are to be heard throughout the Glen.

In a riot at Dhulia, province of Khandesh, India, between Hindoos and Mohammedans, five of the latter were killed.

The insurgents have given notice throughout the province of Santa Clara and Matanzas, Cuba, forbidding the planters to make sugar during the present year in accordance with orders from the revolutionary committee in New York, the penalty for refusing to stop work being the destruction of the property and the destruction of the sugar cane. Unless the rebels are expelled from these provinces before November, when the cane is ready for crushing, the situation will become serious. A quantity of arms and ammunition has been landed at Cardenas on the steamer Elliott from New York.

Official returns show that there have been 2,205 cases of cholera and 718 deaths from that disease in the government of Volhynia, Russia, between July 11 and August 17.

Two cases of alleged cholera have occured at Grimsby.

At the election for a member of parliament for St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, Kenny, Unionist, received 3325 votes against 2893 for Mahoney, Parnellite. Kenny's majority at the election in 1893 was but 15; at this it is 432.

The Havana correspondent of the Times says: Senor Torralbas, the holder of an important judicial post in Puerto Principe, has been dismissed from the public service for complicity in the rebellion.

It is reported that the Englishman, Stokes, hanged by the Belgians under Capt. Lothaire, near the river Aruwim, in the Kongo State, had a legal trial, but that Capt. Lothaire acted illegally in hanging him without allowing an appeal to the tribunal at Boma. Le Matin, of Paris, declares that the Kongo State authorities possess a letter which Lugard wrote to the chairman of the East African Company, warning him that if he laid hands on Stokes he would make short work of him. The charge against Stokes was of selling arms and ammunition to Chief Kibonge, with whom the Belgians were fighting.

The court which has been hearing the controversy between Prince Colonna and his wife, who is the daughter of Mrs. John W. Mackay, has ordered that the sons be given to the Princess, and that, if necessary, force is to be used.

The province of Lejap, Ecuador, has surrendered to Gen. Alfaro's force without resistance. It is also stated that Alfaro's victory is practically complete, and that the war in Ecuador may be regarded as brought to a close. It is possible, however, that some of the forces of the Quito government now massed in the province of Chorchi may try, as a last resort, to attack Alfaro in Quito.

According to a special from Buda Pesth, the injury which the Archduke Ladislas received while hunting yesterday in the forest of Agya, Hungary, is of a more serious nature than had been at first supposed. The bullet from his gun perforated the Archduke's thigh bone, and the discharge of the weapon fired a number of cartridges in his pocket, which set fire to his clothing. The report of the doctors attending the Archduke is awaited with anxiety. The Archduke Ladislas is a grandson of the Emperor Francis Joseph's sister, the Archduchess Elizabeth. He was born on July 16, 1875. He holds the rank of lieutenant in the Archduke Joseph's regiment.

The Correspondencia of Madrid says that a Spanish squadron is going to the Antilles, its principal object being to urge the claims of Spain against the United States in the Alliance affair.

In connection with the celebration of Sedan though many shops were open and the population of Berlin scarcely made a complete holiday, enough patriotic sentiment has been manifested to compel the conviction that if occassion required, the nation would hold firmly together to defend what they won in 1870. It is impossible to believe that thousands made a holiday from a mere spirit of idleness and curiosity, without desiring to give their actions a deeper meaning. The most effective decoration was that of the Brandenburg gate. On the pediment was a figure of victory, and blazed in letters of gold was the word "Sedan," below being the words "How events have shaped themselves under God's guidance," these being the words with which the old Emperor concluded his dispatch to Queen Augusta, informing her of the fall of Sedan. It seemed to-night as if the sun wished to give the signal for the commencement of the illumination, for it set behind the Brandenburg gate in a flood of fiery red, which threw into still deeper relief the great gateway and the black seething masses of humanity behind it. The illuminations, on the whole, were more general than the decorations; for those unable to buy flags could afford the luxury of a few candles in the windows to show their good will. It is stated that the demand was so great that no candles are to be had in Berlin, and judging from the floods of light, the statement is credible.

ALBERNI MINES.

Mr. Henry Saunders Back From a Week's Visit to That District.

Quartz and Placer Claims Show the Yellow Metal is Abundant.

Yesterday Mr. Henry Saunders returned from Alberni, where for the last week he has been visiting that promising gold mining district. He comes back more than ever impressed with the prospects of Alberni as a mining centre. At China Creek he found McQuillan & Childs going ahead with the development of their fine placer claim the Duke of York. They are sinking to bed rock and have six or eight men employed in making arrangements for hydraulicing. While Mr. Saunders was there, Mr. Childs washed out a pan of dirt for his inspection. The result was numerous colors and some coarse gold, proving conclusively that the pay dirt will run high and cannot fail to make splendid returns when hydraulicing is in full blast. Some Chinamen who got a lease to work during the summer at the upper part of the claims have done well and a day or two before Mr. Saunders' visit found a nugget worth $6. Next summer the whole creek will be flumed and the present bed worked, when a rich harvest is expected. Mr. Saunders met Dr. Watson and his two daughters at China Creek. They made the trip with Frank McQuillan to see the glories of the King Solomon mine, and climbed to the top of the mountain, 5,000 feet high, to see the magnificent view from the top. From China Creek Mr. Saunders went to Lowden's claim where washing was going on with good results. Several fine specimens of quartz covered with coarse gold had been found recently among the gold cleaned up. Mr. Saunders bought some of the dust and brought it back with him. It is splendid coarse gold with good-sized pieces amongst it. Sluicing work is going on at present and ground is being prepared for hydraulicing. A little further up Mineral creek Gleason is sinking a shaft on his placer claim and expects to reach bed-rock this week. At the time of Mr. Saunders' visit he was down thirty-five feet. The indications on this claim are very good. At the head of Mineral creek is the Champion—Missing Link quartz claim belonging to Brown & Comerford. This is a grey, free-milling quartz. At present an open cut is being run for the face of a tunnel here. A trial of the waste with a pan was made by Mr. Saunders out of curiosity, and showed up good prospects. The Alberni mine, adjoining, has three or four men at work putting ore on the dump. Nine horses were employed packing this ore to Alberni for shipment to Tacoma. Three tons will be brought down by the Louise on her next trip. Up on the summit of the hill a look was taken at the Ace of Spades mine. It has a fine, well-defined ledge two feet six inches wide, similar to the Alberni ore. Mr. Jones is now prospecting it.

The next move was back again to the head of China creek to visit the Golden Eagle claim, with its splendid ten-foot ledge going right over the top of the mountain and down the other side. A quartz mill and capital are all that are required to make it a great gold producer.

New finds have just been made on the Yellowstone creek, across the summit at the head of Mineral creek. It flows into Cameron river and crosses the Alberni trail four miles from the wagon road, making it only nine miles from Alberni itself. The finds already made show it to be as good as or better than Mineral Creek. A great deal of ground yet remains to be prospected on the tributaries of the various creeks, though along Mineral and China creeks the ground has been pretty well staked out. The country has hardly been touched yet, Mr. Saunders says, and there is room for thousands of men to prospect. The whole country is mineralized and plenty of rich finds will yet be made. Some splendid timber is also to be found on the head of Mineral creek, Mr. Saunders having brought down with him some specimens of yellow cedar of very fine quality.

White and fancy vests in silk and cashmere, duck and pique, to be cleared at cost for cash. S. Reid, 122 Government St. x

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CAPITAL NOTES.

International Deep Waterways Association—The Allan Company and Winter Mail Service.

Sergeant Ogg Congratulated by His Excellency—Superannuation—Dismissal of a Marine Officer.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Sept. 3.—All the ministers have received invitations to attend the annual convention of the International Deep Waterways Association, to be held at Cleveland, Ohio, September 24 to 26.

Andrew Allan, head of the well known steamship line, was in the city to-day and had an interview with Sir Adolphe Caron in reference to the winter mail service. The company wants the contract for the winter mails arranged for at once.

Sergeant Ogg, of Guelph, winner of the Governor General's prize at the Dominion Rifle Association meeting has received a congratulatory message from His Excellency. Both are Aberdeenshire men.

Surgeon Strange, of the Kingston penitentiary, was in the city to-day. He will shortly be retired on a superannuation allowance.

Capt. McElhinney, nautical adviser of the marine department, has returned from inspecting the life-saving stations on the Great Lakes. He reports the water to be lower than at any time for the last thirty years.

Capt. Peterson, of the government cruiser Dolphin, has been dismissed for leaving his vessel without permission.

PREVOST IN HIDING.

The Officers of the Law Closing In Upon the Victoria Registrar Near Dungeness.

Falding Decides to Waive Extradition Formalities and Face a Trial.

Having accomplished the arrest of William Henry Falding, Westminster's defaulting registrar, the provincial police are now closing in upon J. C. Prevost, news of whose apprehension may be looked for at any hour. The case has been a most difficult one to work upon, as false trails and utterly unreliable "tips" have been uncommonly numerous, the latter literally pouring in upon the police during the past few days.

It is now known to a moral certainty, however, that Mr. Prevost did not go to Honolulu by the Warrimoo; neither did he go "up the line" to Cowichan lake, or remain in hiding in Victoria. And, lastly, it is practically certain that he did not board the City of Kingston after she had left her wharf here en route to the Sound on the 23rd of last month.

All the information now in hand points to the conclusion that Victoria's missing registrar was taken over the Straits in a small sloop by a water-front friend well known throughout British Columbia.

"It was on Monday last, the 26th, that Prevost arrived in Dungeness," said Mr. Ham. J. Lipsett, of that place, in conversation with a COLONIST reporter last evening, "and put up at the Grossland house. He made no attempt to conceal his name or identity, and looked quite himself when I met him on the main street and spoke to him a day or so afterwards. He remained until Friday, when the Puget Sound tug Wildwood, which had been lying at anchor all day, took him out in the dense fog. He was not taken far unless I am very much mistaken, and will no doubt be found before many days concealed somewhere in the neighborhood."

Mr. Lipsett's report simply proves the police to have been working on the right theory, for a Port Townsend telegram of Monday says:

"Officer McKenna, of the British Columbia police, was in the city to-day on the trail of Registrar Prevost. Other members of the force are down the Straits looking for the Whitehall boat in which Prevost left Victoria. The absconder himself is supposed to be still in ambush between this city and Dungeness."

The next twenty-four hours should, therefore, have something to tell.

Registrar Falding will before the close of the present week be on his way back to Westminster. He has consented to waive the formality of extradition, and will start from Spokane as soon as the British Columbia officer, Constable Webster, who is now on the way reaches that city.

TRAGEDY AT KAMLOOPS.

Suspected Murder of an Indian Near Kamloops—Body Found on the Track.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

KAMLOOPS, Sept. 3.—Yesternay morning the body of Felix, an Indian, was run over by a freight train seven miles east of here. The body had evidently been placed there in the hope of covering up a murder, as the body when discovered was cold, while a bullet had penetrated the body at the left breast and come out near the shoulder. There had been a row among the Indians on Saturday night, and five of them have been arrested on suspicion of having caused the death of Felix.

Arrived new wall papers, Mellor's. *

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

That Drain Pipe Contract Was Awarded Without Knowledge of the Council.

Elk Lake Works Reported On—Appropriation for Clearing Up Round the Shores.

Mayor Teague and all the aldermen were present at the regular meeting of the council last evening.

A communication from the Clerk of the Privy Council for Canada, in reply to a memorial from the corporation of Victoria, set forth that the government cannot entertain the city's request that it shall take over the charge of the Darcey Island lazaretto and reimburse the city for the cost of establishing the same, among other reasons because the matter is one for provincial and municipal rather than Dominion control. The letter was filed after an answer to a question by Ald. Humphrey, as to what would happen if the Dominion government should cut off the $1,000 a year now paid towards the cost of the lazaretto. "We shall simply take the lepers and hand them over to Dr. Jones," said His Worship.

Bishop Lemmens applied for exemption from taxation for St. Louis college, on the ground that it is a public and free school in the fullest sense. Referred to assessment committee.

DRAIN PIPE CONTRACTS.

The following letter was read:

VICTORIA, B.C., Aug. 30, 1895.

To the Mayor and Corporation of the City of Victoria:

GENTLEMEN,—I should like to draw the attention of your honorable board to some facts in connection with the letting of a contract for the supply of 9 and 10-inch sewer pipe and junctions by Mr. Northcott, as purchasing agent for the city, nominally to Mr. Keller, but in reality to the Denny Clay Co., of Seattle, and which I consider have been somewhat overlooked in the transaction.

In the first place, I would refer to my reply to Mr. Northcott's letter of the 25th ult., calling for tenders for the supply of 18-inch pipe and fittings, in which I drew his attention to the fact that all the pipe originally contracted for between this company and the city has never been delivered. The reason for breaking this contract was, I understand, some change in plans on the part of the city authorities, and there was an undoubted understanding to the effect that this company should have the privilege of supplying the pipe required at future times. Notwithstanding this, I, at the same time having regard to the general drop in prices since the time that contract was made, offered to meet him to any reasonable extent on the subject of price. I may here add that the prices I eventually quoted, and which were lower than the U. S. company by some $250, were precisely the same figures that I would have quoted in any case, and I can prove this statement.

Mr. Northcott having intimated that he would only deal with this matter by sealed tender, I accordingly, on the 30th ult., filed my tender with him, at the same time entering my protest at the action taken by him on behalf of the city.

The result of this tender was as already stated, viz., that my price was about $250 below that of the Denny Clay Co., as represented by Mr. Keller. My prices were based upon what I considered the fair market value of the pipe in question. I at the same time gratuitously gave the city the benefit of a reduction in the price of 10-inch pipe and fittings, amounting to $109.62, on an order which had been placed with me on the 16th July at the old schedule prices. My object in so doing was to convince the city authorities of my intention of dealing with them in a straightforward manner, and giving them the full advantage of any reductions I was prepared to make. The amount of this rebate is made up as follows:

914 feet 10 S. P., at 9c	$82 26
43 feet 10x6 Y's, at 35c	15 48
8 feet 10x6 T's, at 35c	2 88
	$100 62

Trusting that I have made my meaning clear so far, I will now proceed to the second call for tenders, dated 22nd inst. To this I replied on the 23rd inst., quoting the following prices: Nine-inch sewer pipe at 32½ cents per foot; 9x6 Y's at $1.30 each; 10-inch sewer pipe at 45 cents per foot; 10x6 Y's at $1.30 each, these prices being computed on precisely the same scale as my previous tender. The aggregate amount of this tender on the pipe required is:

B. C. Pottery	$1,178 45
Denny Clay Co.	1,099 21
Difference	$ 79 44

I did not hear of the result of this tender until the morning of the 27th inst. By that time I had the whole of the pipe required to make up the order in process of manufacture. I understood that the pipe was required at once and I had no option but to push on with the making so that there should be as little delay as possible in delivery. I may mention here that I had in stock nearly all the nine-inch pipe required and about 200 feet of 10-inch, with sufficient junctions to carry on the work until such time as I could deliver the remainder. The result of this transaction is to leave me with this pipe on hand, where it is likely to remain for some time. If, on the other hand, Mr. Keller had not got the contract, he, as an importer, would have been minus his commission and that would have been the end of it.

There has been a great deal said about the protective duty and freight being sufficient margin for us. So it is in ordinary instances. But in the case of a cut like the present, made with the deliberate intention of driving us out of the market, the duty and freight is little or no help to us.

The Denny Clay Co.'s list price for 9 inch pipe is the same as ours, 50c per foot, off which their usual trade discount would be, say 50 per cent:

Net price	25c per foot
Duty, 35 per cent	8⅔c "
	33⅓c "

without any allowance being made for freight, wharfage, cartage or breakage. Our price for this same pipe is 32½c per foot delivered.

I have, I think, given facts and figures sufficient to prove that I have throughout endeavored to deal with the corporation in a fair and businesslike manner, and that the prices I have quoted are in no way above the market value. But without a certain degree of reciprocity it is impossible that these works can continue to operate. It is for you, gentlemen, to consider whether it is or is not to the advantage of Victoria that they shall do so.

It is the only concern of a like nature in the province, and employs white men only, who are residents of Victoria and the neighborhood, and the wages they earn are spent here—at any rate for the most part. The amount of wages paid by the company to the workingmen of Victoria from the time of its commencement in September, 1890, to the present date, as taken from the books of the company, amounts to $83,096 05. Should the works close it means in round figures that from $15,000 to $20,000 will annually find its way out of the city. This is estimated on the past twelve months' trading, and I very much question whether, in that event, either the city or the present contractor will get their pipe as cheaply as they do now. We do not ask for any undue favor whatever at the expense of the ratepayer, but we do ask that so long as we will supply a good article at as cheap a rate as it can be obtained elsewhere we shall be given all the support and encouragement possible.

I must apologize for having trespassed at such length upon your valuable time, but this is a matter of serious importance to this industry, and, I venture to think, to the community at large. I am sure, however, that as such it will receive you careful consideration.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Yours respectfully,
A. FOSTER BARHAM,
Manager B. C. Pottery Works
44 Government street.

ALD. HUMPHREY thought the sewerage committee owed some explanation to the council as to their action. He certainly considered that the matter should have come before the council before the contract was awarded. In his opinion the prices quoted against the pottery company were not the regular prices, but only quoted to drive that company out of business.

ALD. MACMILLAN on behalf of the committee made a lengthy explanation, from which it appeared that the committee had been informed by Mr. Barham that, anticipating the wants of the corporation, whom they had been supplying for years, the company had been for six weeks manufacturing the pipes for which tenders were called. Mr. Barham had objected to the calling for tenders, as a breach of faith with the company, but had put in a tender under protest, making a considerable reduction on the prices formerly paid to the company. For the two lots of pipe tendered for lately the contract was awarded to the lowest tenderer in each case, one to the Terra Cotta company to the amount of $3,200, and one of $1,099 to Mr. Keller—the saving to the city compared with the old rates being about $500.

ALD. CAMERON, a member of the committee, thought that in quality and prices they had done the best for the city, and that they were carrying out the wish of the council in awarding the contract to the lowest tenderer. They did not know anything about the company manufacturing the pipe, but only knew that the man putting in the tender was a citizen who had never before received an order.

ALD. PARTRIDGE, another member of the committee, wished it understood that he was not present at the meeting when the contract was awarded. If he had been, he did not know how he would have voted, for it was certainly very hard for a concern employing white labor here to compete with one perhaps employing Chinamen in Seattle. He intended to be at the meeting, but must have made a mistake as to the time.

ALD. HALL had been astonished to find that such a contract had been awarded without laying the tenders before the whole council, in whose presence they ought to have been opened. He thought the local company should have received greater consideration. He himself knew nothing about the transaction until he read the leading article in the COLONIST.

ALD. HUMPHREY pointed out that the Terra Cotta company had from time to time, without any tenders, reduced the prices for pipes supplied to the corporation.

ALD. WILSON considered that the committee did very wrong in passing over a local company, employing white labor, and paying the people's money to a firm in Seattle employing, he believed, only Chinese. The Americans are more patriotic in this respect, and better protectionists, for they would never send over to Victoria for anything they could make themselves. The sooner we commence in Victoria to patronize home industries the better, particularly when as in this instance the quality of the pipe made is so superior. He felt sorry—to introduce another matter—that the contract for the electric light machinery had not been awarded to our own concern—the Albion Iron Works.

ALD. MCLELLAN also was surprised at the chairman of the sewerage committee (Ald. Macmillan), who talked so much about giving employment to our own people and about the council having the supervision of all contracts, and yet had given a large contract to a foreign concern without letting the council know anything about it. He thought the saving of $97 claimed to have been made is very small compared with what the workingmen of the city will lose.

ALD. BRAGG had always understood that for everything over $50 the committees had to consult the council before awarding contracts, and he hoped the public would understand that in this instance the majority of the members of the council, and even one member of the committee, knew nothing about it.

The communication was then filed.

C. McKay Smith wrote in reply to the offer of the council to take over the streets crossing the property of Hon. Amor de Cosmos, at the head of Pandora street, without compensation, that it could not be entertained.

The building inspector reported the wooden building at the corner of Douglas and View streets to be in an unsafe condition, and that it ought to be removed. Tabled.

An application from Alexander Maclean, for readmission to the Old Men's Home, was presented by the Mayor. Several members expressed the opinion that he is not a fit character for the home, where he misbehaved himself; and the Salvation Army will be asked to take care of him.

A petition from occupants of the neighboring premises, complaining of a nuisance said to be caused by the operations of the Canada Paint Co., was read. This recited the several attempts which have been made to secure abatement.

ALD. PARTRIDGE said he had visited the premises after seeing the letter on file, and found that steps are being taken to prevent a continuance of the nuisance.

Referred to the sanitary inspector.

A number of property owners on Craigflower road asked for an additional lamp, opposite the residence of Mr. J. Styles. Referred to the light committee.

The streets committee reported, in the matter of Mr. Tom Kains' letter respecting a lane between Menzies and Lewis streets, that the road has never been taken over by the city.

ELK LAKE WORKS.

A report from the water committee was presented as follows:

VICTORIA, 3rd September, 1895

GENTLEMEN:—We, your water committee, beg to report as follows:

That we consider the water works engineer, Mr. Jorgenson, should be held responsible for any changes made thus far in

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Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTS.

WANTED—Boy. F. V. Hobbs, Furnisher, 135 Douglas street. se3 2t

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WANTED—500 lots of new and cast off clothing, and shoes; 83 Johnson street. S. Cooness. au21 1m

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TO LET OR LEASE.

TO LET—Six roomed house, No. 115 Superior street, rent reduced to $15 per month; eight roomed brick house corner of Cadboro Bay Road and Oak Bay Avenue, rent reduced to $15 per month. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

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TO LET—House seven rooms, with bath, gas, hot and cold water, No. 9½ Queen's Avenue; cheap to a good tenant. Apply to A. G. McCandless. au24-tf

TO-LET—For the summer season or longer, the Maple Bay House, Maple Bay, with about 2 acres fruit bearing orchard, and 160 acres sheep run, if wanted. This is the finest and prettiest place on the Island for anyone seeking health or pleasure, nice beach, fine fishing, good shooting, etc. Apply at the Alderlea, Duncans, Wm. Beaumont. mr10tf

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FOR SALE—93 acres on east road, South Saanich, about 10 miles from Victoria Post Office for $3,000. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street

FOR SALE—30 tons clean oats straw; $6 per load delivered. Hastie & Bannerman. au31 6t

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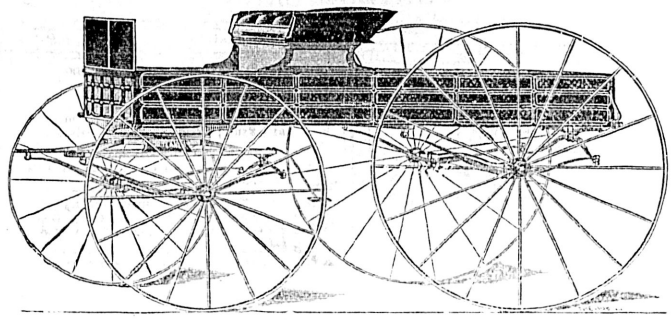

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NOTICE.

The annual general meeting of the stockholders of the Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, (Limited Liability), will be held at the office of the Company, in the city of Victoria, on Wednesday the 2nd day of October next, at 11 a.m.

Dated Victoria, the 31st August, 1895.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
se1 Secretary.

NOTICE.

The annual general meeting of the Shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company, in the city of Victoria, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of October next, at 11 a.m.

Dated Victoria, 31st August, 1895.

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MISS C. G. FOX—Re-opens her school Monday, August 12, at 36 Mason Street, near Pandora. au6-1mo

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The College will re-open (after summer vacation) for reception of boarding pupils Friday, August 30th, 1895. For day pupils Monday, Sept. 2nd, 9 30 a.m. A special primary class for children from 6 to 9 years of age on very moderate charges is to be opened. The Principal is at home to receive parents and guardians on scholastic business every day from 12 to 4 (Saturdays excepted). For prospectus apply to the Principal,

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Lectures in practical cookery will be given every Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to older girls.

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NOTICE OF TENDER.

Portland Cement, Fire Bricks and Fire Clay.

Tenders, in writing, addressed to the undersigned, at Nelson, B.C., for supplying ten thousand fire bricks, two tons of fire clay and forty barrels of Portland cement, to be delivered at the Hall Mines Smelter Works, Nelson, B.C., by the 25th September, 1895, will be received up to 10th September next.

The site adjoins the C.P.R. terminus at Nelson.

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will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m., September 21st, 1895, for the purchase of the complete Undertaking Stock, Fixtures and Book Accounts of John Hilbert, of Nanaimo.

The stock and fixtures can be inspected and full particulars given on application to the undersigned.

B. D. PRESLEY,
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Assignee Estate John Hilbert.
Nanaimo, B.C., Aug. 24, 1895. au31-td

NOTICE.

AN EXAMINATION for efficiency in the practice of assaying, under section 12 of the "Bureau of Mines Act, 1895," will be held during the month of September.

For the ordinary certificates candidates will be required to pass in practical assaying for gold, silver, lead (dry assay), copper and iron, and also to answer such ordinary questions relating to the practice of assaying as the examiners may think fit.

A fee of $10 is payable for the ordinary certificate.

For full particulars apply to the Minister of Mines, Victoria.

JAMES BAKER,
Minister of Mines.
28th August, 1895. au30-3w

NOTICE.

British Columbia Agricultural and Industrial Association.

Intending exhibitors in the ART DEPARTMENT must have their exhibits at Mr. Rene Quenten's Sudio, 100 Government Street, upstairs, prior to 14th September, 1895, to admit of the pictures being classified and catalogued.

J. LAMBERTON,
au23-2w Superintendent.

SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

Cholera's Ravages in the Orient—A Fast Growing Death Roll.

Trans-Pacific Theatrical Enterprise—An Attraction for the Cotton States.

The R M.S. Empress of China, which arrived from the Orient yesterday, brings the unwelcome news that cholera is spreading rapidly in both China and Japan, especially in the Northern districts of the latter country. The aggregate number of cases in Japan during the past four months was on the 19th August, 25,001; with a death roll of 16,278. At the date quoted the new cases numbered 771, with 429 deaths. In Tokyo, the capital, there were 18 new cases on the 21st ult., two of which resulted fatally. A telegram from Mr. Chinda, the Japanese consul at Shanghai, reported 263 deaths among the Chinese and 2 among the foreigners in the British and American concessions, during the first fortnight of August. In view of this state of affairs existing, the Dominion officials will insist on the strictest attention being paid to quarantine regulations by all arrivals from the Orient. Yesterday's steamer brought no Japanese passengers, but the Chinese were all subjected to thorough inspection before a clean bill of health was given by the quarantine superintendent. Among the saloon passengers by the big white liner was the well known Commander Conyers Lang, R N., who twenty five years ago made many friends here while serving on the North Pacific station; he has for years past been in Chinese waters, where he has won deserved recognition as an eminent authority on all naval and marine matters. Commander Lang left the Empress here and will for a few days enjoy the hospitality of the Dallas. Charles E. Fripp, of the London Graphic's artist staff, has been touring round the world and will break his long journey at Vancouver, of which city his brother, Mr. R. MacKay Fripp, is a prominent resident. Mr. William Thompson is a banker of Washington, D C., now on his way home from a second summer visit to Japan, and Miss Grace Hawthorne, the actress, is returning to England from a professional tour of the far East. Other less notable members of "the profession" were found "for'rd" in the persons of 207 Chinese who will secure entry to the United States as members of the Yong brothers theatrical company, en route to Atlanta, Ga., to give a series of unique performances in connection with the great Cotton States' exposition. The proprietors, Leang and Kee Yong, are old-time Victorians, the former being still a member of the firm of King Tye & Co.; and before passing on to Vancouver they vouchsafed the promise that the entire company would be seen in Victoria prior to their return to the Flowery Kingdom. The Empress had a fair passage over, but on the second day from Yokohama passed the San Francisco liner City of Peking, 80 miles out of her course and showing the marks of rough handling by a recent storm. Two sailing vessels, evidently American bound tea ships, were also sighted en route, but not spoken owing to the intervening distance.

MARINE NOTES.

By an unfortunate error the ships Howth and Glenalvon were referred to in yesterday's issue as loading at Liverpool for Vancouver charterers. Both are, in fact, on berth for Victoria direct, the Howth for Robert Ward & Co, Ltd., and the Glenalvon for the R. P. Rithet company.

The British barkentine Spinway, Capt. Garrick, fifty-six days out from Shanghai, sailed into Esquimalt yesterday morning under charter to load lumber for Freemantle, Australia. Where she will load is not yet known, but it is thought it will be at one of the Mainland mills. The Spinway's voyage here was uneventful.

ENTERED.

Str. Charmer.....from Vancouver.
" Sehome..... " Port Townsend.
" Rosalie..... " " "
" Empress of China.. " Yokohama.
" City of Topeka..... " Sitka.

CLEARED.

Str. Charmer.....for Vancouver.
" Sehome..... " Port Townsend.
" Rosalie..... " " "
" City of Topeka..... " " "
" Empress of China..... " Vancouver.
" Daisy..... " Chemainus.
" Sadie..... " Sooke.

SACRED MUSIC CONCERT.

To the Editor:—It was my privilege and pleasure to be on Victoria Arm on Friday evening last, when the Metropolitan Methodist choir had its outing, and in my estimation it was a great treat to listen to such beautiful music. Of course, it was sacred music—well known anthems and hymns (ancient and modern)—and all the parts were well represented. The calmness and even the darkness of the evening seemed to render the music more sweet as it was wafted over the water. After the secular concerts which have been such a success up the Arm lately, would it not be a nice change to have a sacred music concert for the benefit of some charity, to be held, say this week? It seemed a pity that publicity was not given to the occasion of Friday evening, as a pleasure was lost that might have been enjoyed by many. I hope the Methodist choir aided by other choirs can arrange to repeat this pleasurable evening ere the fine weather leaves us, and I am sure it will be fully appreciated.

"Kindly Light."

TORONTO'S NEW THEATRE.

Opened Most Auspiciously by Fred. Warde in the Drama of "Runnymede."

Toronto, Sept. 2.—The new Princess theatre in this city, the handsomest playhouse in Canada, was opened this evening by Frederick Warde, who gave the first Eastern production of Grier Harrison's drama of "Runnymede." The house was crowded, the audience being a fashionable one, while the play scored an instantaneous hit. Fred. Warde was an ideal Robin Hood, and was ably supported by Charles D. Herman, A. C. Daltwy, Fannie Gillette and Fanny Bowman. The production was on a sumptuous scale. Mr. Warde made a graceful speech, congratulating the people of Toronto on their new acquisition, at the same time complimenting Manager Connolly and the builders for their taste and thoroughness in decoration and construction.

After the wedding come the wedding cards—those dainty souvenirs of the happy day. Don't forget that the only complete stock of this kind of stationery in the city is to be seen at the Colonist office. An inspection invited. x

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

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the construction of the cofferdam or other work at the lake, and so as to avoid any possibility of extras being charged up to the city as the result of changes made by the engineer, that before the next payment is made to either the engineer or the contractors that the assurance be received in writing that there are no extras charged and that a thorough understanding be arrived at as to what allowance the contractors are to make for the reduction allowed in substituting one for two rows of piles in the construction of the cofferdam.

That Mr. Brown, the clerk of the works, be instructed to keep a diary written up daily in ink, detailing the quantity and makers' names of cement received at the works, the exact quantity used and a note made of any that may be returned as unused or unfit for use, and that he also furnish a weekly statement to the council detailing the amount of concrete laid and the exact amount of cement used, and any other information that is of interest in connection with the work. R. T. Williams, Wm. Wilson.

Ald. Bragg said he had not signed this report because he understood that Mr. Jorgenson had already given the assurance asked for with respect to extras. As to the duties of the clerk of the works, he thought that if the council wish to communicate with him or the contractors, they ought to do it through the engineer, which would be only civil to him, and a courtesy which is his due.

Ald Williams, chairman af the committee, thought the recommendation necessary as a matter of precaution.

Ald Partridge said the cofferdam being now finished and satisfactory to everyone but Ald. Williams, he did not see why the matter should be brought up over and over again. As to the clerk of the works, he is competent to attend to the duties, or if not he ought to be replaced.

The Mayor said the clerk of the works must certainly work under the direction of the engineer, who is responsible for the cement as well as for everything else.

Ald Cameron pointed out that it is now several weeks since the council appointed Mr. Brown in response to a request from Mr. Jorgenson for assistance, and it seemed to him that it is about time he was sent out there.

Ald. Humphrey said there was a good deal more in the report than he could stand. He had seen the coffer dam, and felt quite satisfied that by the time it is finished the contractors will save nothing by the change.

The report was tabled, Ald. Wilson and Williams voting contrary.

The Water Commissioner reported as follows:

Victoria, 3rd September, 1895.

Gentlemen:—During the summer a small gang of men has been engaged in clearing up round the shores of Beaver Lake; the water is now reaching its lowest ebb and a larger force could be worked to greater advantage. I would therefore recommend that a sum of $2,500 be appropriated for this purpose. A stump extractor would be a great assistance. Such a machine can be bought for $300 or hired for $3 per day, to which must be added the hire of a horse. The amount expended on clearing to August 31 is $1,236 49. The water in the lake is now seven inches lower than it was at this time last year. I would also recommend that the 6 and 16 inch mains be covered where they run along the trestle after leaving the lake for a distance of about 700 feet. The 16 inch main has been exposed to the weather ever since it was laid down, and the covering of the 12 inch has not been repaired since it was first put on over 20 years ago. . . . .

Jas. L. Raymur.

The motion of Ald. Bragg respecting a redivision of the wards, was laid over, to come the first week in November, and the council adjourned.

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120 Head Cattle 1 pedigree Hereford Bull.
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Ploughs, Harrows, Reaper, Wagon, Sleds and usual Farm Implements.
Double Harness, Chain Harness, Bull Chains, Saddles (ladies and gent's), Bridles, etc.
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The Sultan has disappointed those who believed that he is a man of good intentions and that he needs only the opportunity to be a considerate and a humane ruler. That opportunity has been afforded him. It has been proved that some of his subjects have been most barbarously treated by his own civil and military servants. Christian Powers have taken care that the details of these atrocities should reach his ears. The information that he has received respecting the outrages committed in Armenia has no doubt been full. He has been urgently requested to institute reforms in that part of his dominions—reforms that he must know are imperatively required. He has promised to grant the request of the Powers. Yet time passes and nothing is done. The case of the unfortunate Armenians is said by witnesses whose credibility it would be folly to doubt, to be now even worse than it was a few months ago when all the civilized world was horrified to read the accounts of atrocities committed by the Turks on the Armenians.

"From every part of the empire comes news of increasing desperation among the people. In the region of Moosh there is already famine; on the plains of Erzeroum the harvest is good, but the farmers dare not gather it for fear of the Kurds; in Northern Mesopotamia the Christians are fleeing from the villages, and even the Kurdish nomads have to ask for Government protection in going to their mountain pasturages; in Central Asia Minor the Armenian revolutionists are again creating disturbance, having murdered two prominent Armenians for no other purpose than a desire to create a disturbance and attract the notice of foreign powers; and Bulgarian brigands have attacked one of the few remaining Turkish towns in the province of Adrianople. Everywhere from Albania to Bagdad uncertainty, anxiety and distress have resulted in such tension that there is constant apprehension lest the people of all classes in sheer desperation arise en masse and strike at anything within reach, even though the only and immediate result be their own destruction."

Yet, though his Empire is in this dreadful condition, the Sultan remains supine. He puts off those who urge him to initiate reforms with courteous words and plausible promises, yet he allows the abuses to continue without taking a single step to lessen them. It is said that the Turks have determined to extirpate the Armenians, and the late outrages were the commencement of the diabolical work. It was said that the Sultan knew nothing of this horrible scheme, but his allowing the oppressors of this unfortunate people a free hand looks very much as if he is not as ignorant of it as he is represented to be.

If the Sultan takes no step in the direction of reform, if he does not attempt to put a stop to the outrages that are still being committed on his Christian subjects, what do the powers, Great Britain, France and Russia, propose to do? The Leader of the British Government has spoken in no uncertain tone on the subject of the Armenian outrages. Does he intend to go no further? We have not heard what the Czar has said on the subject; and, as far as we know, the statesmen of France have gone no further than to protest officially and to apply gentle, diplomatic pressure. There are no indications yet that the protesting Powers have become peremptory in their language, or have shown that they are prepared, if their protests are disregarded, to follow them up by prompt and energetic action. It seems evident now that until the Powers convince the Sultan that they are in earnest and that consequences most serious to himself and his Government will follow a continuation of the oppression of his Christian subjects, he will not move a single step in the direction of reform.

THE JURY TROUBLE.

We observe that some of the American newspapers are disgusted with the way in which juries are chosen in the United States. They see how absurd it is and how detrimental to the cause of justice to spend five weeks and to exhaust a panel of 3,600 in selecting a jury of twelve men. They freely acknowledge the superiority in every way of the English practice. But they do not blame the judges of the trial courts or the lawyers for the obstructions that are placed in the way of having justice done in criminal cases. This is what the San Francisco Examiner says on the subject of "The Jury Trouble":

The trial court and the prosecution and the attorneys for the defence are in no way to blame for the travesty on justice that has been going on. The methods followed have been those laid down by the Supreme court, and any departure from them would give a new trial in case of a conviction. The laws barring qualified citizens from jury service are almost entirely the creation of the appellate courts of the country. The statute qualifications follow closely those imposed by the English laws on which the jury system is founded. The fact that in England the first twelve men who go into the box usually form the jury, while in America weeks and sometimes months are required to find twelve qualified men, is due almost wholly to the law making propensities of the appellate courts directed by their evident belief that laws are for the protection of the criminal and not the public.

It is a trite saying that the jury system should be reformed. That has become evident and one of the first reforms ought to be in the methods of selecting the jury. No one believes that the jury system as it exists in California is more successful than the jury system as it is found in England or France. On the contrary, the system is more often a failure here than elsewhere.

PRETTY CLEAR.

At Grand River, in the County of Gaspe, Mr. Laurier found it necessary to be more explicit in his statements relative to the Manitoba school question than he had been in other parts of the country. A telegram to the Montreal Star, in which the proceedings of one of Mr. Laurier's meetings are described, contains the following paragraphs:

An elector, Dr. Ennis, then having obtained leave to put a question, inquired if Mr. Laurier's projected settlement of the matter would be after the Greenway-Martin non-intervention plan, or on the lines desired by the Manitoban Catholic minority. He also asked if Mr. Laurier and his party would support Sir Mackenzie Bowell should he submit to Parliament legislation in favor of the Roman Catholics.

To the direct question Mr. Laurier answered that he wanted legislation on the lines suggested by the people of Quebec, that Mr. Martin did not speak for the Liberal party, and that he, the leader of the Liberals from Vancouver to Halifax, would support Sir Mackenzie Bowell's readjustment of this thorny question if settled in accordance with the just demands of the Roman Catholics.

This is clear enough, and shows that Mr. Laurier takes the Quebec view of the question. It appears that he considers that his Quebec compatriots are the proper judges of what are "the just demands of the Roman Catholics." This is clearly involved in the previous statement, "that he wanted legislation on the lines suggested by the people of Quebec." There is some hope now that before Parliament meets the country will know just where Mr. Laurier stands on the Manitoba question. If the utterance we have quoted above is sincere, and if Mr. Laurier acts up to it, the people of the Dominion need not be surprised to see the Hon. Mr. Laurier, when that question comes up before Parliament, voting on the same side as Sir Mackenzie Bowell.

"THE WALLER CASE."

The United States has what promises to be a somewhat serious dispute with France. A French court martial in Madagascar tried, convicted, and sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment an American citizen, who was also an American consul. If Great Britain had done this American newspapers from one end of the United States to the other would be screaming with indignation, but as the act has been committed by France they are wonderfully quiet.

It is admitted that if Mr. Waller, for that is the unfortunate ex-consul's name, had been tried by a properly constituted civil court there would be nothing more to say. Civilized nations are bound to respect the decisions of each other's courts and to presume that justice is done to all, whether native or alien, who are tried before them. But this, the Americans contend, is not as a matter of international courtesy, to be presumed of courts-martial.

"There is no dispute about the principle," the New York Times says, "that the decisions of the civil courts of one country are not subject to review by the Government of another country. But it is evident that the case is different with courts-martial. A court-martial is primarily a means of maintaining military discipline, and persons who have voluntarily submitted themselves to that discipline are the proper objects of its operations. When it assumes to take the place of the civil law, it is because there is no other than martial law within the sphere of its operations, so that as a tribunal it is necessarily provisional and unsatisfactory. When a court-martial undertades to adjudicate the offences of foreigners, it undertakes a very ticklish business, and it is the right of the foreign Government to examine its proceedings in order to ascertain whether injustice has been done. It is the demand for this examination upon which our Ambassador to France has been ordered to insist and which the French Government has evaded so long as to increase the presumption raised by the circumstances of the case."

In the course of its argument the Times speaks in very plain terms of the nature of the French expedition to Madagascar. It was in Madagascar that the offences for which Mr. Waller was tried and convicted are alleged to have been committed, and it was in that country he was tried by a court martial composed of officers of the French army.

"The opinion of the civilized world" says the Times, "is that the present attack upon Madagascar is upon the part of France a wanton aggression, a merely piratical adventure, like the attack upon Siam. This is what all the world believes about these French schemes of conquest. No civilized power opposes them, because no such power has any interest that would warrant opposition. But when it appears that in the prosecution of one of these piratical adventures a citizen of such a power has been sentenced to imprisonment for a term of years, it is not only the right but the duty of the nation concerned to insist upon satisfying itself of the justice of the procedure, in favor of the justice of which there is no presumption whatever."

It can be very readily understood that an American citizen accused of committing offences in Madagascar against French martial law would have very little favor shown him by a French court martial. The demand of the United States Government to examine the proceedings in the case to find out whether justice had been done a citizen whom it is bound to protect, seems to be no more than reasonable. The French Government no doubt believes that it is justified in hesitating to comply with the demand of the United States Ambassador, but it is more than likely that it will before long recede from the position it has taken. If hesitation culminates in refusal it is hard to say what aspect the dispute will take. The people of the United States are very tenacious of their rights when the life or the liberty of an American citizen is concerned, and they will go to almost any length to have what they consider justice done.

The sentence pronounced against Mr. Waller is a very severe one. If he is a man past middle age it means most likely imprisonment for life. The offence which a man commits to deserve such a punishment must be very serious, and it must be proved beyond the shadow of a doubt. We are, therefore, not surprised that the United States Government has taken a determined stand in this matter.

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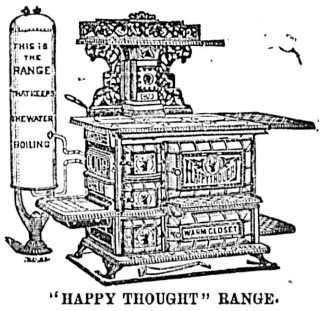

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THE CITY.

DURING August there were recorded at the registry office here: Births, 30; marriages, 29; deaths, 22.

THE anniversary services of the Centennial Methodist church will be held next Sunday and the anniversary social the Tuesday following.

THE Juvenile Opera Company give a social concert and dance at the A. O. U. W. hall on Friday evening, the Richardson orchestra providing the music for the dance.

A REVISED and corrected prize list for the woman's exhibit at the fall fair is now ready and may be had on application to Mr. C. E Redfern or any of the members of the ladies' committee.

THOUGH the visiting yacht Eleanor is not open to public inspection, a large number of citizens are shown through the handsome craft daily. Lord and Lady Aberdeen and party visited the vessel on Monday evening.

THE regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, was held in the school room yesterday afternoon, a sale of work being afterwards conducted and refreshments served.

MR. J. A. RUDDICK, manager of the travelling dairy, in a letter to Secretary C. E. Renouf of the Agricultural Association, announces that the dairy will be here and on exhibition at the fair grounds from the 17th to the 21st instant.

LADY ABERDEEN has been pleased to accept the invitation from the Local Council of Women to preside at their annual meeting and to deliver an address. The date of the meeting—which will be a public one—is fixed for November 6.

THE collections for August of Inland Revenue division No. 37, Victoria, totalled $16 404.46, and were as follows: Spirits, $9 823 74; malt, $1,864 99; tobacco, $3,778.50; cigars, $776.10; methylated spirits, $56.78; inspection of petroleum, $99 35, and rent of land, $5.

JOHN HEMMING, an old man who has been cared for at the home for some time past, is under arrest at the city police station, a charge of vagrancy having been entered against him. The hearing is set for this morning and in the meantime the police are working upon information which may lead to a more serious charge being substituted.

ON Sunday last a full carload of jam was shipped by the steamer R. P. Rithet from the Okell & Morris Preserving Co.'s factory in this city, the destination of the consignments being Winnipeg. Another carload will be despatched next week, and during the season four other carloads will go forward. This is a great compliment to the excellence of the product of the Victoria factory—especially so as the Eastern handlers are some of the largest firms in Canada.

MR AND MRS. HAMLET, formerly residents of Victoria but now of Seattle, were passengers by the Topeka from the North. They had been to Alaska conducting evangelistic services among the Indians—a work which has a peculiar fascination for them. When Alaska was but little known Mr. Hamlet had been there on the same good mission. He was, in fact, the first missionary to visit that far northern territory, and his reminiscences of early experiences there are very interesting.

TRAMPS, who infest the country districts at present and have a marked partiality for haystacks as a night's resting place, are supposed to have caused the fire on Fourth street, near Cedar Hill road, which kept a glow in the sky from eleven o'clock Monday night to five yesterday morning. The stacks destroyed were the property of Mr. H. T. Forde, the dairyman, and contained upwards of 40 tons, or $400 worth, of this season's hay. Chief Deasy was on the scene before the fire had been long in progress, but could do nothing more than leave a guard to prevent a spread of the flames.

IN the Victoria free library during August there were 1,792 exchanges of books; of these 884 were to ladies and 908 to gentlemen. The greatest number of books given out in one day was 126, and the average number 67. Forty-nine new members enrolled their names in the library register—24 ladies and 25 gentlemen. There have been added to the library in the month, "List of Shareholders in the Chartered Banks of the Dominion of Canada," "Report of Canadian Archives," by Douglas Brymner, LL.D., F.R.S.C., archivist, 1894; and "Royal Colonial Institute, Report of Proceedings," vol. 26.

THE first services of the Congregational church conducted in this city during recent years were held last Sunday at Temperance hall, where large and attentive congregations listened to morning and evening sermons by Rev. Mr. Bushell, of Port Angeles. The subject of the evening discourse was "Religious Enthusiasm," the theme being an apt selection. Much enthusiasm is being displayed by the resident Congregationalists, and at a meeting held on Monday evening organization was completed and a unanimous conclusion reached that the services should be continued throughout the present month at least in Temperance hall, Rev. Mr. Bushell occupying the pulpit and also conducting prayer meeting services each Thursday evening. There is a strong probability that the reverend gentleman will remain in the city permanently as pastor of a Congregationalist church.

THE Christmas term of the Victoria College opened this week with a largely increased attendance.

THE meeting of the Y.W.C.T.U. originally announced for this evening has been indefinitely postponed.

THE Y.W.C.T.U meeting which was to have been held to-day is postponed till next Wednesday, at the residence of Mrs. Gould, 91 Henry street.

A MEETING for the purpose of perfecting preliminaries for the Kootenay excursion is to be held at the Board of Trade rooms to-morrow afternoon.

THE forty-sixth appropriation of the Victoria Building Society will be drawn for at a special meeting in the Sir William Wallace hall next Saturday evening.

OFFICERS for the half-year have been elected by the Y.P.S.C.E. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church as follows: Honorary president, Rev. W. L. Clay; president, W. J. White; vice-president, Miss J. Cameron; treasurer, Miss A. Murray; recording secretary, Mr. W. Menzies; and corresponding secretary, J. Easton.

THE ladies of the Friendly Help Society are endeavoring to obtain a sewing machine for a poor widow in distressed circumstances who desires to obtain a living for herself and child by sewing. In the event of charitable friends having a spare machine they will oblige by communicating with the secretary, Miss Lawson, 146 Kingston street.

POLICE MAGISTRATE MACRAE, presiding in the provincial court yesterday, heard the information charging Harvey Snow, of Naas river, with neglecting to provide for his aged wife. The defendant explained in court that he was able and willing to provide for his wife and would do so; with this assurance the information was allowed to be withdrawn.

MR. F. W. PAMPHLET and his bride (nee Huson) have returned from their honeymoon tour, which they started upon several weeks ago. The young couple, who will make Victoria their home, were united in marriage by Rev. J. F. Betts, those assisting in the ceremony being Captain Andrew Christensen and Miss M. Harris. Mr. Pamphlet is one of the best known marine engineers along the waterfront.

JOHN CLAUSSEN, who was given in charge to Constable McDonald on Sunday night for having struck Mrs. Lange with his cane as she was walking with her husband, pleaded guilty to the assault when arraigned in the city police court yesterday. He was fined $10 and costs, or in default one month's imprisonment, and was also ordered to find sureties who will answer for his keeping the peace during a period of one year.

THE little party of seven who since last May have been in Alaska practically completing the preliminary work on the Alaska and Canadian boundary survey for the Canadian government returned by the Topeka early yesterday morning. The chief was Mr. A. J. Brabazon, C E, with Mr. J. L. Cote as second in command, Mr. C. St. Cyr and four others. Mr. Brabazon, speaking of what had been accomplished, explained yesterday that the season's work was on Yakutat bay, Disenchantment bay at the head of Yakutat bay and down the coast as far as Dry bay. By means of phototopography as much as possible of the country from the coast inland was surveyed; the whole representing a stretch of country a thousand miles square, Mount St. Elias lying within this district. From the preliminary surveys now completed after several seasons' work, the Canadian and American commissioners, Mr. King for Canada and Prof. Mendenhall for the United States, will if possible agree on the course to be followed in the survey to definitely settle the boundary between the two countries. If they do not agree the matter will have to be decided by arbitration. No very exciting adventures were experienced by the party; the weather was cool though pleasant, but on the high mountain ranges, where the stations for photographing the country were placed, there was plenty of snow, which made travelling decidedly trying and difficult in places. Mr. Brabazon left for Ottawa this morning.

THE San Francisco Chronicle of August 6th says of "Too Much Johnson," the comedy which is to be presented at the Victoria theatre on Saturday evening next: "The success of the last New York season, 'Too Much Johnson,' was presented at the Baldwin theatre last night by the same cast that played it there. San Francisco has been given the place of honor in the country, the piece and company coming here direct from the New York theatre. 'Too Much Johnson' is a very clever and a very funny comedy. It reminds us of the best work of the kind as seen in 'Mr. Wilkinson's Widows.' The plot as shown in this version is quite original, while the complications that gather around a simple lie, and the skill of the liar in getting out of all entanglements keep up a constantly amused interest. We have had the liar in various forms, but never in this cool, nervy, deliberate way. Billings is never beaten; he has the closest shaves, and yet he comes out on top always, and not by any very strained effort of lying, either. The element of suspense is there all through till the end, and one wonders, when he has gone away, if those fellows ever found him again. If they did, we know he was ready for them. Indeed, the audience has perfect faith in the ready wit and coolness of the liar, a kind of character most people admire—especially in comedy. It is, consequently, exceptionally interesting to watch 'Too Much Johnson.' To see this fellow calm and quite unembarrassed, while everybody else is in the most excited state and the most annoying situations, for which he is wholly responsible, is refreshing." The sale of seats open this morning at 9 o'clock at Jamieson's. x

Passengers for all points East in Canada and the United States should take advantage of the cheap rates and quick time made by the Canadian Pacific Railway. Passengers have the option of going via steamer from Fort William to Owen Sound or Fort William to Windsor. The express steamers Athabasca, Alberta and Manitoba comprise the finest lake fleet afloat. Meals and berths are included in the fares on the lake steamers. For steamer accommodation, tickets, etc., apply to Geo. L. Courtney, agent, corner Government and Fort streets, Victoria, B.C. x

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THE WORLD OF SPORT.

Handicap Results and Draw for the Junior Lawn Tennis Tournament.

The Vancouver "Championship" Lacrosse Team, Its Tactics and Its Composition.

The following is the result of the handicapping and drawing in the junior lawn tennis tournament: R. Powell (owe ½ 15), bye; A. Pringle (rec. 15), bye; C. M. C. Maitland (rec. 15), bye; T. H. Maurice (rec ½ 30), v. T. G. Wilson (scratch); W. R. Napier (rec. ½ 15) v. G A. Rithet (owe 15); C. Trimen (rec. ½ 15), v. W. R. Wilson (scratch); G. Kane (scratch), v. G. C. Johnston (owe 15); F. B. Ward (scratch), v. R. Harvey (owe 15); R Hayward (scratch), v. A. Langley (rec. ½ 15); G. H. Lawson (scratch), v. R Dunsmuir (scratch); E Wigram (rec. 15), v. F. T. Cornwall (rec. 15); A. R Green (rec. ½ 30), v. G. A. Shuter (rec. ½ 15); R. C. Gamble (owe ½ 15), v. G. D. Ward (rec. ½ 15); G H. de P. Chance (rec. 15), bye; W. A. Goward (scratch), bye, and T. E. Pooley (rec. 15), bye.

It was decided by the committee for the handicapping that the tournament should be played on Friday, Monday and Tuesday next, so as not to clash with the cricket matches which are to be played on Thursday and Saturday, The preliminary round will be played off on Monday and the fixtures for Thursday and Friday will be given in the COLONIST on the mornings of play.

RETAINS THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

NIAGARA ON-THE-LAKE, Sept. 2.—A large gathering at the Queen's Royal hotel courts witnessed the final match in the Canadian international tennis tournament. Carl B. Neel, the Western champion, and Mrs. Sydney Smith, the Canadian champion, were pitted against E P. Fisher, of New York, and Miss Maud Osborne, of Sutton, Ont. Both teams put up a brilliant game, but Neel's splendid volley inning, reinforced by his partner's clever back-court work, finally won the day. The first set proved the real struggle and Neel and Mrs. Smith had a close fight to win. They finally captured it, however, at 6 4. In the second Miss Osborne weakened considerably and Neel and Mrs. Smith held together all through, pulling out at 6-2.

LACROSSE.

A TRIFLE PREMATURE.

TO THE SPORTING EDITOR:—The following appears in the Canadian Sporting News (Toronto), of August 24:

"THE TOUR OF THE COLUMBIANS.

"A letter received by Mr. Fred. Suckling from his brother Alf., who is a resident of Vancouver, B.C., states that the Vancouver lacrosse team, champions of the province, will leave on their Eastern trip about September 1. They are booked to play the Tecumsehs at Hanlan's Point on September 7, the Torontos at Rosedale on the 11th, the Shamrocks at Montreal on the 14th, the Montrealers on the 18th, the Capitals at Ottawa on the 21st, and the Quebec club on the 24th. Mr. Suckling says that the team is stronger than the one that came East two years ago. It is made up entirely of Vancouver men, all of whom with three exceptions have learnt the game in British Columbia. As Mr. Suckling says, it will be interesting to note how their play compares with that of the big Eastern teams. In his opinion and in that of Eastern people who have seen them play, they are faster and neater than any of the aggregations in the senior league. 'Our field,' says Mr. Suckling, 'is very fast. We have two men who can go a hundred yards in 10½ seconds, and two faster than that who are going to compete in the fall games on October 5 at Toronto of the Amateur Athletic Association of Canada. Our home is light but fast, and depends on combination. We play with a centre-fielder and two wings and form a wedge backwards to the inside home. Mr. Hosmer, of the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Company, who saw the team play at Victoria, said their play excelled anything in the East.' Mr. Suckling adds that the trip will cost something in the neighborhood of $2,000, but that it will tend to make lacrosse popular and probably lead to transcontinental championships. The ambition of the team, and the high opinion the members have of themselves, are proven by the fact that they believe they will give Ottawa's crack twelve 'the run of their lives.' The team, Mr. Suckling concludes, is made up from the best families, and of men whom he has largely coached himself."

The above will prove amusing reading for those who composed the crack Victoria team which went East in 1893, especially in view of the fact that the present "best family" Vancouver team have yet to make good their premature claim of being the British Columbia "champions" of 1895 The combination that composed Victoria's lacrosse team in 1893 was nearly equalled by that of 1894, but neither of the provincial teams of this year has shown that it possesses the merits of those famous lacrosseists. I am now speaking from the standpoint of results, not from prophecies or vain boasting. "The proof of the pudding is in the eating," says the proverb, and Mr. Suckling may find that his has been a case of "much cry and little wool," and very thin sauce for very ordinary pudding. The Vancouver team, as Mr. Suckling points out, may have "wings." They certainly have been flapping them and crowing a good deal of late. Westminster clipped them somewhat last Saturday week, and they may lose their ornamental feathers next Saturday. Josh Billings advised "never prophesy unless you know," and this might be adopted with profit by the literary member of the "best family" team.

1893 LACROSSIST.

AN EXHIBITION ATTRACTION.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 3.—(Special)—The Vancouver team won from the Westminsters at Seattle yesterday by a score of 3 to 2. The Westminsters only had one man short, Cambridge, whilst the Vancouvers were short three of their good men—Smith, Campbell and Ralph. Those who saw the game say that Vancouver had it all their own way.

HERE AND THERE.

GENERAL GOSSIP OF CURRENT NEWS.

A general meeting of the Victoria College Rugby and Association football clubs is called for to-morrow evening.

The management of the Stanley park announce a race meeting for Saturday of this week, the events to include an open steeplechase of 1½ miles, a free-for-all trot (3 in 5 heats), and a trotting and pacing match for two-year-olds (best 2 in 3).

BISHOP PERRIN HOME.

A Thanksgiving Service at Christ Church Cathedral for His Safe Return.

After an absence of six months the Bishop of Columbia and Miss Perrin returned home yesterday from England. Bishop Perrin is quite restored to health and ready to resume the duties which he was forced by illness to relinquish for a time. As on the occasion of first coming to Victoria two years ago, a service of thanksgiving for the Bishop's safe arrival was held at the cathedral at 5 o'clock yesterday. Rev. Canon Beanlands, Rev. J. B Hewetson, Rev. P. Jenns, Rev. C. E. Sharp, Rev. W. D. Barber and Rev. J. B. Haslam met the Bishop and Venerable Archdeacon Scriven at the south door, and then, preceded by the choir, proceeded up the church, singing the processional hymn, "The Church's One Foundation." Among the congregation gathered for the occasion were the Governor-General, the Countess of Aberdeen and their family. After the evensong service and before the benediction was pronounced, Bishop Perrin spoke briefly, referring to the time that he had first come here in 1893 when a similar service was held. He had then arrived in Victoria new to the people and the work that was before him, but now he came back among friends with renewed hope in his work, and as his motto, the words of St. Paul, "Experience, work, hope." He then gave the blessing and dismissed the congregation.

Speaking of his visit to England yesterday Bishop Perrin said he felt now quite restored to health. He had not been able to do very much while away, for his physicians had advised him that perfect rest was imperative. As soon as he had reached England he had taken the best medical advice and was assured that the operation performed on him in Victoria had been a perfect success. After he had regained his strength somewhat he was sent to Switzerland, where he fully recovered. Now he returned to British Columbia ready for labor again and with a very strong hope of what may be accomplished here.

"There are some places, you know," he remarked, "of which one cannot, try as one may, take a really hopeful view. Here it is so different."

Speaking of his stay in England, Bishop Perrin remarked that he was greatly struck with the strong religious activity there. The feeling in support of the church seemed growing and he looked upon it a most hopeful sign.

His Lordship just touched on the schools. He had always taken great interest in educational matters, and his observations strengthened his belief that, in the absence of all religious teaching, the British Columbia public schools lacked something that somehow the English schools seemed to have.

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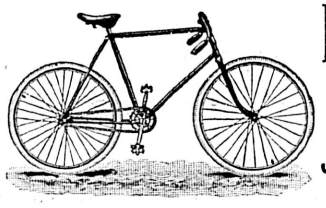

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The members of the legal fraternity in Victoria have placed on the record their desire that when the government shall fill the present vacancies in the office of the registrar of the Supreme court, the men selected for these important positions shall be men with a legal training, in short, lawyers, like themselves. This was done at a numerously attended meeting of the barristers and solicitors of the city held yesterday afternoon at the office of Messrs. Bodwell & Irving. It was a representative meeting of the profession, called on short notice to consider this question and to put into the form of a resolution that which is and has been for some time past the individual opinion of every lawyer in town.

Mr. E. V. Bodwell occupied the chair, Mr. H. E. A. Robertson being selected as secretary.

The chairman in opening the meeting stated that every member of the profession present knew the object of the meeting. The appointment of a registrar of the Supreme court was a matter, he said, which, while it only indirectly affected the lawyers themselves, was of the greatest importance to their clients and to the public at large. It was of the utmost importance that the affairs of such an office should be conducted in the most perfect manner possible, and he had no doubt that all present would agree with him that it was necessary that a member of the profession should be appointed to preside over the affairs of the office. The registrar had various matters referred to him by the court which required the exercise of a good deal of judicial discretion, so that proper reports and returns could be made to the court upon principles of law in accordance with established precedents. Probably all the lawyers in town had experienced grave difficulties in conducting various branches of the actions they had to do with, through the fact that a professional man was not in the office of registrar, and all had felt from time to time that the expense of litigation was considerably increased by being compelled to go before a judge to decide some petty question which would otherwise have been disposed of by the registrar had he been a professional man. Nearly all the difficulties could be readily overcome if the office were in the hands of a competent lawyer. He in common with other members of the profession had, under these circumstances, thought it was his duty to express to the proper authorities his feelings on this point. The lawyers felt that it was in their own interests and in the interests of the public to express their opinion as a body, and for that reason, in order to permit of this being done, the present meeting had been called. He was satisfied that such an expression would be given of the feelings of the profession that it would have some weight and influence with the government when the position of registrar came to be filled. (Applause.)

Mr. H. B. W. Aikman said that he entirely agreed wieh the remarks which had been made by Mr. Bodwell. He could speak from an experience of from 25 to 30 years, both in practice and out of practice, of the difficulties that were placed in the way of solicitors doing what they considered their full duty to their clients, by the fact that there were not professional men placed in these important positions at the head of the registry offices. All were agreed upon this point, and practically all that could be done at the present time was to express their united opinion in the shape of a resolution.

Mr. Samuel Perry Mills agreed that with a professional man at the head of affairs in the registry office the work of the solicitors would be much expedited, although he felt bound to say that the late registrar, Mr. Prevost, had brought to bear upon his work a large amount of common sense, which had assisted very materially in solving some of the difficult legal points that were raised before him. He was glad to have this opportunity to bear testimony to the service which Mr. Harvey Combe and Mr. Arthur Keast, the deputy registrars, had rendered during the past four or five years, and thought it would be but an act of simple justice if the government were to recognize that work now by some substantial means.

Mr. J. Stuart Yates concurred in the opinions that had been expressed as to the desirability of having a competent professional man in the position of registrar, and hoped that when the unanimous opinion of the Bar was expressed in the shape of a resolution to the government, it would result in such a man being appointed.

Mr. P. Æ Irving drew attention to the resolution which had been passed at the annual meeting of the Law Society of British Columbia in March last, when the question of the reorganization of the registry office system had been discussed, and when the Bar of the entire province had unanimously agreed that only professional men should be appointed to the important positions of registrars. The attention of the government had at that time been called to the conditions that then existed, and the local members of the Bar would, in passing a resolution such as had been suggested, be but following up, and that at an opportune time, the lines then laid down.

After some further discussion taken part in by Messrs. Archer Martin, Lindley Crease, J. A. Aikman, J. P. Walls, Thornton Fell and L. P. Duff, the following resolution was framed and carried unanimously:

"Whereas the Law Society of British Columbia at its annual meeting held at the city of Victoria on the 4th day of March, 1895, passed a resolution in the following terms:

"Resolved that in the opinion of this meeting the registry offices of the Supreme court of British Columbia should be reorganized, and that to each officer in the registry should be allotted certain specific functions to be performed by him, and that in the future appointments to the position of registrars of the Supreme court should, as far as possible, be made from members of the profession:

"And whereas this meeting desires to reiterate and endorse the principle embodied in the said resolution;

"Be it therefore resolved, that in the opinion of this meeting, the public interest imperatively demands that the present vacancies in the offices of the Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia should be filled by members of the legal profession;

"And be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Hon. the Attorney-General with a request that the government give effect to the views above expressed."

Mr. R. T. Elliott then moved, seconded by Mr. J. Stuart Yates, that a committee be appointed to wait upon the government and personally present and urge the reasons for the above resolution. This was also carried unanimously, and the committee appointed was Messrs. H. B. W. Aikman and E. V. Bodwell.

In moving the resolution Mr. Elliott created some laughter by the statement that the government had unexcelled facilities for the filing away of documents. For this reason, if for no other, it would be as well to follow up the resolution by having a committee wait upon the members of the government to press home upon them the necessity which exists for the carrying out of the principle in question.

The meeting then adjourned. The committee appointed to wait upon the government will do so at the first opportunity and endeavor to have the views of the profession carried into effect.

BIMETALLISM.

Mr. Balfour's Declaration Regarded as a Grave Blow—Opinion of a British Member of Parliament.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—An editorial in the Times comments upon the grave blow which Mr. A. J. Balfour's statement is to the hopes of the German and American bimetallists. Mr. Balfour, it will be remembered, stated in the House of Commons that he did not believe that an international bimetallic conference would result in an agreement on a ratio. The Times says:

"The American bimetallists are made of sterner stuff than the Germans, and will therefore continue to agitate; but it is less likely than ever that they will carry the country with them. There seems no chance that either political party will allow itself to fall under the sway of the silver men. The recent publicity of the aims of the bimetallic party here has been a revelation and a warning. We trust the trade revival now in progress will complete the cure, and that we shall hear less and less about bimetallism from any quarter."

In reply to an invitation to join a parliamentary committee for the purpose of furthering the proposal for an international conference, having in view an agreement for the adoption of an international system of currency, Sir John Teng, senior member of parliament for the city of Dundee, writes as follows: "I fear that if I joined the committee it would be assumed that I had become a bimetallist, whereas I have never been able to see how a double standard could work, one of the metals being practically immovable and the other a very movable quantity. At the same time I am in favor of an international conference upon condition the members be not delegated to represent fixed views, but sent with free minds."

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Balance on hand, deposited by treasurer for Celebration of 1896	102 93	
Less cost of advertising subscription list and balance sheet	15 00	
(Other assets, say $50)	$87 93	

EXPENDITURE PASSED BY FINANCE COMMITTEE, MAY 31ST, 1895.

	Amount Estimated and Voted.	Amount Expended.
Printing	$ 235 00	$ 212 80
Military	400 00	387 00
Yacht races	475 00	474 38
Sports	300 00	296 00
Band	150 00	150 00
Regatta	875 00	847 10
Sundry	200 00	131 13
Barge (fitting up same)	50 00	57 67
Balance		128 92
	$2,685 00	$2,685 00
Amount voted and not expended	128 92	
Total expenditure	2,556 08	
Balance	102 93	
	$2,659 01	

BEAUMONT BOGGS,
General Secretary,
Celebration Committee.

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

R P Rithet & Co	$ 50 00
E & N Railway Co	50 00
V E T and L Co	50 00
Mrs Marshall	45 00
Harry Harris	30 00
Hudson's Bay Co	25 00
Turner, Beeton & Co	25 00
G A Kirk	25 00
Robt Ward & Co, Ltd	25 00
B C Land and Investment Agency	25 00
Bank of Montreal	25 00
Colonist Print and Pub Co	25 00
Bank of B C	25 00
C P N Co	25 00
N P Ry Co	25 00
Thomas Earle	25 00
Victoria Transfer Co	25 00
Bank of B N A	25 00
Staff of Bank of B C	20 00
Pither & Leiser	20 00
Lenz & Leiser	20 00
Davie, Pooley & Luxton	20 00
Ames-Holden Co	20 00
Bodwell & Irving	20 00
Simon Leiser & Co	20 00
Langley & Co	20 00
G B Martin	20 00
H Bostock	15 00
Province Print and Pub Co	15 00
Redon & Hartnagel	15 00
Pemberton & Son	15 00
Eberts & Taylor	10 00
E A Morris	10 00
McPhillips, Wootton & Barnard	10 00
Challoner & Mitchell	10 00
New England Hotel	10 00
Sayward Mill Co	10 00
Thorpe & Co. Ltd	10 00
Albion Iron Works	10 00
W J Pendray	10 00
Davidson Bros	10 00
Pennock & Lowe	10 00
Weiler Bros	10 00
R C Davies	10 00
Hall, Ross & Co	10 00
Mount Baker Hotel	10 00
Robt Irving	10 00
McGregor & Jeeves	5 00
F B G	5 00
W and J Wilson	5 00
Dr A E Verdinder	5 00
Flint & Prosser	5 00
R T Williams	5 00
W G Stevenson	5 00
Tolmie & Stewart	5 00
Shedden, Goward & Co	5 00
W Templeman	5 00
D E Campbell	5 00
Bee Hive Saloon	5 00
Henry Clay	5 00
Geo Morrison & Co	5 00
T W Patterson	5 00
J E Crane	5 00
Goots	5 00
M Powers	5 00
Fell & Co	5 00
Dr G L Milne	5 00
T N Hibben	5 00
R S Day	5 00
Wm Wilson	5 00
L Lonkram	5 00
T S Gore	5 00
A H Burns	5 00
E B Marvin & Co	5 00
P McQuade & Co	5 00
Archer Martin	5 00
J A McCulloch	5 00
G C Shaw & Co	5 00
T C Jones	5 00
Yates & Jay	5 00
Chas Hayward	5 00
Chas E Jones	5 00
Robert Cassidy	5 00
H P Crease	5 00
Peter Steele	5 00
G C Sauer	5 00
Hall, Goepel & Co	5 00
Robt Jameson	5 00
C Braund	5 00
J H Todd & Son	5 00
Oriental Hotel	5 00
H Sibenbaum	5 00
Findley, Durham & Brodie	5 00
Canada Paint Co	5 00
John Robertson	5 00
Muirhead & Mann	5 00
L Wille	5 00
H G Cameron	5 00
Philipps Bros	5 00
Gilmore & McCandless	5 00
Taylor M'f'g Co	5 00
C E Redfern	5 00
D McIntosh	5 00
J H Tye & Co	5 00
2 Unknown, each $5.00	10 00
4 at $3 00	12 00
58 at $2 50	145 00
17 at $2.00	34 00
5 at $1.50	7 50
56 at $1.00	56 00
10 at 50 cents	5 00
2 at 25 cents	50
	$1,435 00
Books 4 and 6 not returned to Secretary. List not secured	221 50
	$1,656 50

In addition to above from—
Geo. McMartin ..... Setter Dog
Dean & Cryderman ..... Dressing Case
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ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

STEAMER JOAN

L. P. LOCKE, MASTER.

Sails as follows, calling at way ports as freight and passengers may offer:

Leave Victoria, Tuesday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Comox, Wednesday, 7 a.m.
" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

For freight or staterooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria station, Store street. ap25

C. P. Navigation Co., Limited

TIME TABLE NO. 27

Takes effect June 21st, 1895

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday at 2 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 13.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13.15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports, via Vancouver the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer, will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent,
Victoria, Jan. 1st, 1895.

Victoria & Sidney Railw'y

TIME TABLE.

GOING NORTH.

Station.	Train No		Mon Tues Wed Thur Fri	Saturd'y	Sunday.
Victoria Lv	1	a m	7:00	7:00	9:00
	3	p m	4:00	2:00	2:00
Royal Oak	1	a m	7:14	7:14	9:14
	3	p m	4:14	2:14	2:14
Elk Lake	1	a m	7:23	7 23	9:23
	3	p m	4:23	2:23	2:23
Saanichton	1	a m	7:35	7:35	9:35
	3	p m	4:35	2:35	2:35
Sidney ..... Ar	1	a m	7:48	7:48	9:45
	3	p m	4:48	2:48	2:45

GOING SOUTH.

Sidney Lv	2	a m	8:15	8:15	10:15
	4	p m	5:15	5:15	6:00
Saanichton	2	a m	8:28	8:28	10:28
	4	p m	5:28	5:28	6:13
Elk Lake	2	a m	8:40	8:40	10:40
	4	p m	5:40	5:40	5:25
Royal Oak	2	a m	8:54	8:54	10:54
	4	p m	5:54	5:54	5:39
Victoria ..... Ar	2	a m	9:08	9:08	11:08
	4	p m	6:08	6:08	5:50

Satisfactory arrangements will be made with parties desiring to charter trains, special cars or steamer for picnic or other excursions.

Close connection made at Sidney with steamer Mary Hare for Salt Spring and other Island ports.

T. W. PATERSON,
General Manager.

THE STEAMER

"MARY HARE,"

Running in connection with the Victoria & Sidney Railway, will sail as follows:

MONDAYS—Leaves Sidney at 8 a.m. for Cowichan Wharf, Burgoyne Bay and Vesuvius, returning to Sidney for 5 p.m. train for Victoria.

TUESDAYS—Leaves Sidney at 4 a.m. for Nanaimo, calling at Fulford, Ganges Harbor and all other way ports, returning to Ganges Harbor.

WEDNESDAYS—Leaves Ganges Harbor at 6 a.m. for Fulford and Sidney, connecting with morning train for Victoria, thence to Cowichan Wharf and Vesuvius Bay, thence to Sidney and return to Ganges Habor.

THURSDAYS—Leaves Ganges Harbor at 7 a.m. for Sidney, calling at Mayne, Saturna, Pender and Moresby Islands and all other way ports.

FRIDAYS—Leaves Sidney at 5 p.m. for Moresby, Pender, Saturna and Mayne Islands and Ganges Harbor.

SATURDAYS—Leaves Ganges Harbor at 6 a.m. for Sidney and way ports.

For rates and fares and other information apply to M. Hare, Manager, on board the steamer, or to Victoria & Sidney Railway Company's Agents. my29

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"ST. ANDREW & CALEDONIAN SOCIETY." Society meets in Caledonia Hall, Blanchard street, on the first Friday in every month. Visiting brethren are invited to attend. E. C. Smith, Secretary. my4-1

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General Steamship Agency.

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FROM MONTREAL.

Allan Line	Mongolian	Sept 7
"	Numidian	Sept 14
Dominion Line	Vancouver	Sept 7
"	Mariposa	Sept 21
Beaver Line	Ontario	Sept 11
"	Huron	Sept 18

FROM NEW YORK.

Cunard Line	Umbria	Sept 7
"	Lucania	Sept 14
American Line	St. Louis	Sept 4
"	New York	Sept 11
White Star Line	Teutonic	Sept 4
"	Britannic	Sept 11
North Ger. Lloyd	Trave	Sept 7
"	Lahn	Sept 10
Red Star Line	Southwark	Sept 4
"	Friesland	Sept 11
Anchor Line	City of Rome	Sept 7
"	Ethiopia	Sept 14
Allan State Line	Nebraska	Sept 14

For rates, berths, tickets and all information apply to
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C.P.R. Ticket Office.
Cor. Fort and Government Sts., Victoria, B.C.

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TIME SCHEDULE.

Speed 18 knots		VICTORIA ROUTE. S.S. "CITY OF KINGSTON"		Tonnage 1117.
8.30 pm	M	Lv *...Victoria.... Ar	110	4.30 pm
11.45 pm	38	. Port Townsend .	72	1.30 pm
3.00 am	82	..... Seattle.....	28	10.15 am
4.45 am	110	Ar. *...Tacoma.....Lv	M	8.00 am

Steamer City of Kingston makes connection at Tacoma with Northern Pacific trains to and from points east and south.

* Daily except Monday.

E. E. BLACKWOOD,
Freight and Passenger Agent
Victoria, B. C.

A. D. CHARLTON,
Asst. Gen. Pas. Agent,
255 Morrison St., cor. Third St., Portland, Or.
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NOTICE is hereby given that at the sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, to be held on the second Wednesday in the month of September next, application will be made to the Board that the temporary permission granted on the 14th day of June last by the Mayor for the transfer from Henry Saunders to E. J. Saunders, (Elizabeth Jane Saunders) of the retail liquor license issued under sub-section 3, of section 201, of the Municipal Act, 1892, to Henry Saunders, for the premises known as Nos. 39 and 41 Johnson street, in the city of Victoria, may be ratified and extended and that the said license may be transferred to the said Elizabeth Jane Saunders.

Dated this 6th day of August 1895, at the city of Victoria.

au7-30d HENRY SAUNDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date, I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, viz.: Commencing at a post marked C.L.P., planted on the east side of the unsurveyed channel, Valdez Island, about two miles west of Surge Narrows; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south to beach; thence following beach to point of commencement; containing about 1,000 acres.

CHAS. L. PAULSEN.
Victoria, B.C., August 19th, 1895. au20

NOTICE.

Belleville St., between McClure St. and Birdcage Walk, is closed to Public Traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
aug 3 City Engineer.

NOTICE.

Menzies Street, between Belleville St. and Superior Street is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
u3tf City Engineer

SCAVENGERS.

ED. LINES, General Scavenger, 236 Yates street. Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Geo. Munroe, 89 Government street; Speed Bros., cor. Douglas and Fort; or Blair & Gordon, cor. Menzies and Michigan, will be promptly attended to. de3

RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y.

TIME TABLE No. 24.

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, April 5th 1895. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

SOUTH BOUND—READ UP				STATIONS.		NORTH BOUND—READ DOWN		
No. 1 Pass. Daily.	No. 3 Pass. Sat. & Sun.					No. 2 Pass. Daily	No. 4 Pass. Sat. & Sun.	
Ar. 12.20 pm	Ar. 8.30 pm		P.T.		P.T.	Dc. 8.00 am	Dc. 4.50 pm	
" 12.16	" 8.25		78	Victoria	1	" 8.04	" 4.55	
" 12.06	" 8.18		77	Russells	4	" 8.14	" 5.03	
" 12.03	" 8.15		74	Esquimalt	6	" 8.17	" 5.06	
" 12.00	" 8.12		73	Stewart's	8	" 8.20	" 5.09	
" 11.53	" 8.06		72	Parson's Bridge	10	" 8.27	" 5.15	
" 11.45	" 7.57		70	Langford	14	" 8.37	" 5.24	
" 11.35	" 7.50		67	Goldstream	20	" 8.45	" 5.31	
" 11.25	" 7.40		63	Summit's Siding	28	" 8.55	" 5.41	
" 10.60	" 7.10		60	Shawnigan Lake	31	" 9.00	" 5.46	
" 10.40	" 6.53		47	Cobble Hill	35	" 9.05	" 5.51	
" 10.25	" 6.46		43	McPherson's	40	" 9.12	" 5.57	
" 10.15	" 6.42		40	Koksilah	43	" 9.16	" 6.01	
" 10.10	" 6.35		38	Duncan's	47	" 9.20	" 6.06	
" 10.00			35	Somenos	52	" 9.28	" 6.15	
" 9.53	" 6.26		31	Westholme	59	" 9.36	" 6.23	
" 9.33	" 6.15		26	Chemainus	62	" 9.41	" 6.28	
" 9.20	" 5.57		19	Oyster Bay Siding	69	" 9.53	" 6.40	
" 9.11	" 5.48		16	Oyster Bay	72	" 9.58	" 6.45	
" 8.40	" 5.15		6	Nanaimo	78	Ar. 10.30	" 7.15	
Dc. 8.20 am	Dc. 5.00 pm			Wellington	78	Dc. 8.25 am	Ar. 12.00 n'n	

On Saturdays and Sundays

Cheap excursion tickets will be issued to and from all points, good to return not later than Sunday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for fifteen days including day of issue.

Through rates between Victoria & Comox.

Mileage and Commutation Tickets can be obtained on application to the Ticket Agent, at Victoria, Duncan's and Nanaimo Stations.

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Tri-weekly between Northport and Nelson.

7:00 a.m. Lv...SPOKANE...Ar. 6:50 p.m.

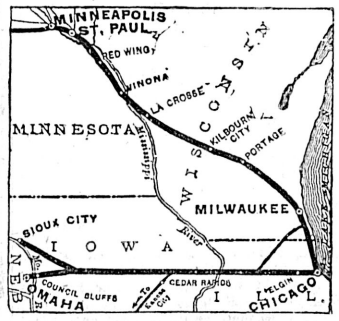
On Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays trains will run through to Nelson, arriving at 5:40 p.m. making close connection with the steamer Nelson for Kaslo and all lake points, arriving at Kaslo at 9:00 p.m., same days. Returning passengers will leave lake points and Nelson on Mondays; Wednesdays and Fridays, arriving at Spokane same days.

Passengers for Kettle River and Boundary Creek connect at Marcus with stage on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

For TRAIL CREEK MINES, connect at Northport with stage daily.

For Nakusp and Revelstoke, connect at Northport with boat on Wednesdays and Saturdays. ja1

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry.



GLANCE AT THIS MAP

Of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway and note its connections with all transcontinental lines at St. Paul and Omaha, and remember when going east that its trains are lighted with electricity and heated by steam. Its equipment is superb. Elegant Buffet, Library, Smoking, and Sleeping cars, with free reclining chairs. Each sleeping car berth has an electric reading lamp, and its dining cars are the best in the world. Some other lines are longer than this, but none are shorter, and no other offers the above luxurious accommodations. These are sufficient reasons for the popularity of "The Milwaukee." Coupon ticket agents in every railroad office will give you further information, or address

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Olympic Block, Seattle

JAPANESE REWARDS.

Recognitions of Distinguished Services During the Recent War—Ming Family Amnestied.

Foreign Envoys Assailed for Apathy in Connection With the Missionary Outrages.

(Advices by Empress of China.)

The cholera increases in Peking, and the deaths exceed 1,500 daily.

Viscount Takashima has been appointed vice-governor of Formosa.

Russian ships are making surveys of the river Sunghwa, which runs through a part of Manchuria.

Viscount Miura was gazetted Japanese envoy to Korea on August 20.

The Crown Prince of Japan is suffering from an attack of pneumonia and his life is in danger.

One thousand returned Japanese prisoners were delivered at Taku on August 19 by a Japanese steamer. The Chinese assert that they have only two Japanese prisoners yet to restore.

The Osaka Cotton Spinning Company proposes to establish a line of steamers from Japan to ports on the west coast of Mexico, chiefly to facilitate the importation of raw cotton into Japan.

An amnesty to the members of the Ming family has been granted by the King of Korea at the Queen's solicitation. Several of them have already returned and are expected soon to resume their share of political control.

On August 20 the second Japanese bulletin of rewards and promotions for distinguished service during the war was issued. The number of civil officials designated is very small. Viscount Mutsu is promoted to the grade of Count and decorated with the Grand Cordon of the Order of the Rising Sun. Ito Miyoji, chief secretary to the cabinet, is created a Baron and receives the first class insignia of the Order of the Mirror. Honors are bestowed upon officers of the army and navy—fifty altogether. Various grades of the Order of the Rising Sun, Mirror, Golden Kite, and Merit are also liberally conferred. Numerous additional awards are anticipated. In acknowledgment of the valor displayed by Major-General Otern, who lost his life at the taking of Wei-hai-wei forts, the eldest son of that officer is created a baron.

The envoys of the United States and Great Britain in Peking are assailed with excessive violence by their countrymen in China for alleged neglect of duty in connection with the missionary outrages at Kucheng and Chengtu. Immediate retribution for the atrocities is demanded, and, as this cannot be summarily inflicted, the ministers are accused of heartless indifference. The British consular officials are still more bitterly arraigned, the incumbent at Foo Chow being particularly charged with reprehensible delay in ordering an investigation of the crime. The Emperor has ordered the degradation of the chief magistrate of Kucheng, and has issued a decree for the extirpation of the Vegetarian Society by the Fokien viceroy. That his command can be enforced is considered doubtful. The willingness of the envoys to accept a Chinese escort for the English and American commission to Kucheng is more severely blamed than any other of their reputed misdeeds. Many Englishmen believe that the governor of Hong Kong should have been required to provide a detachment of troops from the colonial garrison. The governments at Washington and London are urged to take direct action, and exact reparation without consulting their representatives at the Chinese capital. Several of the American commissioners appear confident that this appeal will be granted, and that the regular course of procedure will be set aside in compliance with their wishes.

"AFFLICTED AND TORMENTED."

Sufferings of Missionaries in China—Christians—Brutally Beaten—Officials Powerless to Help.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Reports from members of the American Baptist Missionary Union in China to the Baptist Missionary Magazine, show that the uprisings were more general than has been told before. During the last week of May and the first of June all the missionary stations in Western China were looted by mobs, and 146 missionaries, men, women and children were driven away, escaping only with their lives. In the province of Szechuan, there were many small stations scattered over the valley of the Yangtse river. While the authorities seemed to have tried in some instances to protect the missionaries, the only service they were able to render was to help them to escape. The missionaries fled hundreds of miles down the river, hardly carrying as much as a change of clothing, and reaching places of safety only after two weeks of hardship.

In Chengtu, the capital of the province of Szechuan, a placard was posted on May 28, asserting that the "foreign barbarians" were hiring evil characters to steal small children from them. The next day a mob of several thousand tore down the Canadian Methodist mission and the property of the two Protestant societies and the Catholic building. The missionaries appealed to the magistrate of the city, but he told them he was powerless. With the aid of some friendly natives they effected their escape. Then the cry went up: "The time has come to turn all the missionaries out of Szechuan." A part of the mob divided into smaller parties and took the various roads out of town, en route for the other mission centre. In all cities the most inflammatory placards were posted on the walls. Riots immediately followed.

The Baptist missionaries believe the riots were incited by members of the official class, but to all appearances the students were at the bottom of the mischief. They published a placard fixing the date for the destruction of the missionary property at Sui Chaufu and for killing the magistrate, who was suspected of desiring to protect foreigners. In most cases the missionaries left the cities and hid in the neighborhood, awaiting an opportunity to escape. Native friends helped them to secure boats and to put the women and children aboard. At Sui Chaufu Messrs. Warner and Wellwood and Dr. Finch got their valuable papers and silver out of town and secreted them. Here, as everywhere, the trouble came like a thunder-clap out of a clear sky. Sunday's services were well attended, quiet and very impressive, and three candidates were baptized by immersion. On Monday, June 3, the city was flooded with placards.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The Times correspondent at Shanghai says: Chinese Christians are being brutally treated near Hingwa, province of Fokien. Houses have been burned and property and cattle stolen. One person was fatally wounded. The magistrate refused to interfere. He had received an ambiguous proclamation referring to the Kucheng massacre and inciting a rising against the Christians.

A hacking cough keeps the bronchial tubes in a state of constant irritation, which, if not speedily removed, may lead to chronic bronchitis. No prompter remedy can be found than Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Its effect is immediate and the result permanent.

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THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Sept. 3, 1895.
Report for 21 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	53	Mean 55°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	51°		5 a.m.—22 S.
9 a. m..	55°	Highest 57°	1 p.m.—12 S.
1 p. m..	55°		9 p.m.—4 S.
5 p. m..	52°	Lowest 50°	
9 p. m..	50°		Rain—.02.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer CHARMER from Vancouver—C W Spencer, Mrs Spencer and party, Mrs Woodrow, J C McLagan and wife, G Cooke, Miss Dawson, D T Lees, W Morris, R Angus, W H Armstrong, C A Lett, W A Harkin, C Griffith, J E Gaynor, C J Lowen, A S Black, J Hartney, Dr Taylor and wife, Constable Webster, J S Willison and wife, J P Carden, Miss Carlton, Mrs Morris, L A Wright, E Sheppard, W Gill, Mrs Fripp, E E Billinghurst, Mrs Watchorn, Miss Bloomingdale, Miss Lehman, H H Price, Jno Wilson, J J Belton, J J Belton, jr, Dr McKechnie, W L Hamilton and wife.

Per Steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—Misses Ellis, Mrs Fix, R Knaute, R T Tolmie, W H Ellis, A Ellis, D Gilbert, H Wark, E Evans, W F Anderson, A Quigley, Mrs Davis, H D Lewis and wife, Mrs McCallum, J E Goldsmith and wife, G F Zimmerman, W S Johnson, H A Holmes, Mrs and Miss Loring, E E Fix, Mrs Gilbert, Miss Droop, A K Monroe, H Mc. Hurd, A J Blank, Rosa Forman, D Hewitt, A Stillman, R B Oxley, Miss Sinnett, Miss Murphy, D Monroe, J Magee, Miss Holmes, Robt Poff, Miss Pike, J Ryan and W Cheeseman.

Per Steamer SEHOME from the Sound—Mrs Freeman, Mrs McKee, R H Jenkins, N Hallery, Mrs Van Volkenburg, T W Gatter, C H Westwood and wife, Mrs Anderson, G Wilkins, John Hewitt and wife, H W Moulton, J E Clifton, J Goucher, C R Thobin and Geo Heller.

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Per Steamer CHARMER from Vancouver—J Piercy, A McGregor, Langley & Co, Thos Earle, H Young, W & J Wilson, G R Jackson, A B Erskine, E A Morris, Jones & Co, Thorpe & Co, J Hutchison, G H Maynard, T B Pearson, Basil Hoch, P McQuade, W Wilson & Co, Weiler Bros, D Spencer, Mrs P K Turner, J H Todd, Simon Leiser, Kate Robinson, J Clayton, J H Baker, E J Saunders, B Williams, J Maynard, W Powell, Ledingham Bros, T Haughton, J H Warner, Vic-Phœnix B Co, Colonist P Co, W Wilby, T Norris, Canada Paint Co, A Sheret, A & W Wilson, T R Stewart, J Leahy, Martin & R, Mrs Fripp, Okell & M, R W Higginbotham, W Lough, Dom Exp Co.

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MUNICIPAL.

TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

Tax notices for the year 1895 were posted on the 28th, August instant, to those on the Municipal Assessment Roll for the current year.

Anyone who may not receive same in due course will please apply at the post office.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector

City Collector's Office,
Victoria, B.C., Aug. 28, 1895.

$10.00 REWARD.

The above mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons setting fire to any grass or causing any grass fire within the corporate limits of the City of Victoria.

By Order.
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Victoria, July 17, 1895. jy18

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MUNICIPAL.

List of Lands and Improvements within the Corporation of the City of Victoria, to be sold for Taxes and Costs on the 1st day of October, 1895, at the City Hall, Victoria, at 11 o'clock a.m., in pursuance of the Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale By-Law, 1895, unless in the meantime the arrears of Taxes and costs due in respect of each lot in the schedule hereinunder written be paid.

Lot.	Block.	Section.		Amount of Taxes.	Amount of Costs	Person Assessed.	Registered Owner.
33	3		Land and Improvements	$102 21	$15 33	W. G. Bowman	Wm. G. Bowman
West part 87	26		Land	34 51	5 18	Chas. Hayward	M. Moses
92	26		Land and Improvements	47 91	7 19	Jno. Mortimer	John Mortimer
569	41		Do do	44 60	6 70	Mrs. C. C. Mackay	Thos Charles and Christine Mackay
9 of 602-3	M		Do do	34 08	5 11	Chan Lung	James Porter
10 do	do		Do do	34 08	5 11	Do	Do
11 do	do		Do do	34 08	5 11	Do	Do
12 do	do		Do do	49 37	7 40	Do	Do
763	O		Do do	31 47	4 72	Jno. Stevens	John Stephens
East part 794	10		Land and Improvements	14 91	2 23	n own	Not registered
East ½ of 878	J		Do do	16 68	2 50	Lucie Thiebault	Lucie Thiebault
997	17		Land	18 34	2 75	Est. J. Montero	Joseph Montero
1007	17		Land and Improvements	21 69	3 70	Do	Do
13 of 1257	T		Do do	41 96	6 30	Winnifred Gibson	Winnifred Gibson
1352	47		Land	45 87	6 88	Jno. Cameron	Alexander Cameron
1355	47		Do	45 87	6 88	Do	Do
1366	47		Do	45 87	6 88	Do	Do
(9 of 1627a	25)						
9	2	Christ Church Est	Do	16 81	2 52	Jas. Ewing	James Ewing
1825	62		Do	22 93	3 44	J. M. Wark	Wm. Charles and James R Anderson.
1826	62		Land and Improvements	26 44	3 96	Do	Do
1827	62		Do do	26 44	3 96	Do	Do
1828	62		Land	22 93	3 44	Do	Do
1835	62		Do	18 35	2 75	Do	Do
1836	62		Do	18 35	2 75	Do	Do
1837	62		Do	18 35	2 75	Do	Do
1838	62		Do	18 35	2 75	Do	Do
18 of Suburban	5 acre 1	ot No. 2	Land	4 59	69	Jas. L. Penny	Arthur Robertson
13 Do	do	do 9	Land and Improvements	23 96	3 60	L. M. Lapoint	Grace R Davey
31 Do	do	do 19	Do do	7 17	1 07	S. E. King	S. E. B. King
32 Do	do	do 19	Land	6 12	92	Do	Do
63 Do	do	do 19	Do	6 12	92	Do	Do
64 Do	do	do 19	Do	6 12	92	Do	Do
65 Do	do	do 19	Land and Improvements	17 32	2 60	Do	Do
66 Do	do	do 19	Do do	13 25	1 99	Do	Do
13 Do	do	do E ½ 20	Do do	20 06	3 00	D. McPhadden	George Stelly
½ 2	16	Beckley Farm	Land	10 70	1 60	W. Shears	W. Shears
3	16	do	Land and Improvements	32 50	4 87	Do	Do
6 of 7-9	22	do	Land	12 23	1 84	Thos. Corsan	Thos. Corsan
	66	Fairfield	Do	136 33	20 45	C. C. Pemberton	Sir James Douglas
	Part 71	do	Land and Improvements	96 92	14 53	Do	Do
39	Johnso	on's Sub-dv. 19&68	Land	9 17	1 37	E. Quesnelle	Angus R. Johnston
41	do	Do	Land	9 18	1 38	J. H. Wark	Do
6	Chandl	er Estate 68	Do	8 41	1 26	W. H. Philpot	Wm. H. Philpot
4		71 & 80	Land and Improvements	4 59	69	Vancouver Island Building Society	Wm. Robertson
9 of 2-3	1	74	Land	5 35	80	Clara L. Dodd	Clara L. Dodd
10 do	1	74	Do	5 35	80	Do	Do
11 do	1	74	Do	5 35	80	Do	Do
12 do	1	74	Do	5 35	80	Do	Do
28	3	74	Do	4 59	69	M. J. McKenzie	T. Davie
29	3	74	Do	4 59	69	Do	Do
5	4	74	Do	2 29	34	W. Cook	Wm. Cook
35	5	74	Do	4 59	69	Wm. Farmer	Euphemia Cline
37	5	74	Do	3 82	57	Wm. Moore	Do
57	5	74	Do	5 35	80	Talbot Devereux	Kitty Welsh
23	K	74	Do	7 65	1 15	A. Bodley	Alfred Bodley
24	do	74	Do	6 12	92	Do	Do
25	do	74	Land and Improvements	6 12	92	Do	Do
North Part	M	74	Do do	67 79	10 17	H G. Gerrard	Alice B. Gerrard
33	69-72	Spring Ridge	Do do	13 91	2 10	Robt. Oates	Robt. Oates
13	do	Do	Do do	12 41	1 86	Mrs. M. R. Robbins	Clara O. Haggerty
6	2-3	Fernwood	Do do	8 41	1 26	Jas. Peterson	Jas. Peterson
74	4-5 &c	Do	Land	6 88	1 03	H. Barwick	Wm. Wilson
75	do	Do	Do	8 40	1 26	Do	Do
18 of 1	7-9	Do	Land and Improvements	8 03	1 20	Mrs. E. J. Hopper	D. R. Young and J. M. Bartlett.
4 of 3	do	Do	Land	4 59	69	Miss M. E. Bulman	Maggie E. Bulman
9	13-17	Do	Do	6 12	92	Hugh Stewart	A. MacLaughlin
10	do	Do	Do	6 12	92	W. Sharp	Wm. Wilson
	21	Do	Do	73 39	11 00	P. S. Fenerty, et al	Sarsfield Fenerty, et al
	22	Do	Land and Improvements	112 19	16 83	Do	Do
	36	Do	Do do	56 43	8 46	Do	Do
17	53 & 61	Do	Do do	2 34	95	Silas Holland	Silas Holland
3 of 59	69	Do	Land	1 53	23	Susan Eckhert	Geo. L. Powers
117	69	Do	Do	1 67	25	F. W. Garland	F. W. Garland
118	69	Do	Do	2 09	31	Do	Do
17	4, 7, 8, 9	4 Work Estate	Do	15 67	2 35	Royal Agnew	Loo Chung Shong and Chow Kai Chong
2	D	Do	Do	9 17	1 38	Thos. Pamphlet	Thos. Pamphlet
3	D	Do	Land and Improvements	16 18	2 43	Do	Do
13	Y	Do	Do	21 40	3 21	Coughlan & Mason	J. J. Lemon and B. and A. Gonnason
North part of 18		4 Hillside Ext	Do	45 87	6 88	W. Robertson	W. Robertson
	19	Do	Land and Improvements	47 26	7 09	Do	Do
11	31	4 Hillside Farm	Land	6 12	92	H. T. Knott	H. T. Knott
18	34	Do	Land and Improvements	8 16	1 22	Wm F. Strong	F. W. Strong
9	1	Finlayson Estate	Do do	15 92	2 39	Henry W. Doscher	Henry W. Doscher
10	1	do	Do do	16 62	2 50	Do	Do
3	1-2	4 Saanich Ext	Land and Improvements	41 51	6 23	Coughlan & Mason	Coughlan & Mason
16 of 3	7-9	do	Land	3 82	57	David A. Tomlin	David A. Tomlin
17	15-8 &c	25	Do	2 68	40	Margaret Tillar.	Margaret Tillar
18	do	25	Do	3 06	46	Mrs. E. Summerfield.	Henry Croft and E. B. C. Hannington
74	do	25	Do	2 29	34	G. A. McBain	Wm. H. Philpot.
22	1	26-7, 1-5, 22-40, 29 30	Land and Improvements	3 00	45	A. V. Wover	Emanuel Levy et al
1	5	do	Land	2 66	40	J. Haggerty	John Haggerty
2	5	do	Do	2 29	34	Do	Do
7	5	do	Land and Improvements	3 44	52	Do	Do
8	5	do	Land	3 06	46	Do	Do
	16	5	Do	19 57	2 94	Coughlan & Mason	Jno. Coughlan & Geo. Mason
	18	5	Land and Improvements	36 18	5 43	Do	Do do
	19	5	Land	29 35	4 40	Do	Do do
	20	5	Land and Improvements	38 63	5 80	Do	Do do
	21	5	Land	30 58	4 58	Do	Do do
12	1-5	10 Victoria West	Land and Improvements	5 23	78	Jno. Fleming	Alfred Williams
13	do	do	Land	3 82	57	Do	E. J. Salmon
17	do	do	Do	3 82	57	D. G. McKenzie	Do
25	do	do	Do	3 82	57	R. Kenny	Do
37	do	do	Do	3 82	57	Robt. Whiteley	Do
¾ 7	8-12	do	Do	4 59	69	E. R. Bennett	John Fraser
¾ 12	do	do	Do	3 06	46	J. Brown	Wm. Hy. Mason
S.W. ¼ 11	18-22	do	Land and Improvements	1 53	23	Martin Brickman	Mary Ann Vine
S.E. ¼ 11	do	do	Do do	1 53	23	Austin Rees	Do
4	34-8	31	Land	4 59	69	J. A. Andrew	John A. Andrew
22	do	31	Land and Improvements	11 65	1 75	Emily Walker	Emily Walker
14	Lime B	ay 31	Do do	4 59	69	Geo. Crocker	Geo. Crocker
South Part 6	Spring	field 31	Land	4 59	69	Ida T. Martin	Ida T. Martin
10		31	Land and Improvements	34 01	5 10	Do	Do
23	7-10	32	Land	1 29	20	R. Shore	Richard Shore
3	11-12	32	Do	6 12	92	E. J. Christie	E. J. Christie
Part 4	do	32	Do	5 35	80	Do	Do
8	18-19	32	Land and Improvements	3 82	57	Alex. McKay and Kenneth Cannell.	Alex. McKay and Kenneth Cannell

Dated at City Hall, Victoria, B.C., City Collector's Office, August 29, 1895.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

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NOTICES.

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893," as Amended by the "Fire Insurance Policy Amendment Act, 1895."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to Secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance" from the 1st day of August, 1895, to the 1st day of October, 1895.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
30th July, 1895. au3-2m

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, under authority of the provisions of the "Land Act Amendment Act, 1895," that all arrears upon pre-emptions or purchases outstanding on the 21st day of February, 1895, are payable in five equal annual instalments, together with interest on the unpaid balance at the rate of six per cent. per annum. The first instalment, together with interest from the 21st day of February, 1895, is due and must be paid on or before the 31st December, 1895. In default of such payment immediate steps will be taken for the cancellation of any records or agreements concerning such lands.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B C., 8th August, 1895.
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TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year 1895.

FALL ASSIZES.

Clinton	Thursday	26th September
Richfield	Monday	30th September
Kamloops	Monday	7th October
Vernon	Monday	14th October
Lytton	Friday	11th October
New Westminster	Wednesday	6th November
Vancouver	Monday	11th November
Victoria	Tuesday	19th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	26th November

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NOTICE

A COURT of Assize and Nisi Prius, and of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, will be held under the provisions of the "Supreme Court Act," as amended by the "Supreme Court Amendment Act, 1891," at the Town of Clinton on Wednesday, the 18th day of September, proximo, in lieu of the Court of Assize appointed by the said Act to be held at the said Town on the 26th day of September, 1895.

By command.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
23nd August, 1895. au23-d&w-td

THE VICTORIA MINERAL CLAIM.

Situated on Mineral Creek, Alberni.

Take notice that I, Elizabeth Jane Saunders, Free Miner's Certificate No. 58,384, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Government of British Columbia, to purchase the Victoria Mineral Claim, situated on Mineral Creek, in the Alberni Mineral Division of Alberni District.

And further take notice that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the expiration of this notice.

Dated August 16th, 1895. au17-2m

THE WARSPITE MINERAL CLAIM.

Situated on Mineral Creek, Alberni.

Take notice that I, Catherine Greenwood, Free Miner's Certificate No. 59,237, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Government of British Columbia to purchase the Warspite Mineral Claim, situated on Mineral Creek, in the Alberni Mineral Division of Alberni District.

And further take notice that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before expiration of this notice.

Dated August 16th, 1895. au17-2m

THE ALBERNI MINERAL CLAIM.

Situated on Mineral Creek, Alberni.

Take notice that I, Elizabeth Jane Saunders, Free Miner's Certificate No. 53,379, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Government of British Columbia to purchase the Alberni Mineral Claim, situated on Mineral Creek, in the Alberni Mineral Division of Alberni District.

And further take notice, that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before expiration of this notice.

Dated August 2, 1895. au2-2mo

THE CHICAGO MINERAL CLAIM.

Situated on Mineral Creek, Alberni.

Take notice that I, B. H. John, Free Miner's Certificate No. 58,349, intend sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Government of British Columbia to purchase the Chicago Mineral Claim, situated on Mineral Creek, in the Alberni Mining Division of Alberni District.

And further take notice, that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the expiration of this notice.

Dated August 2, 1895. au3-2mo

NOTICE—Take notice that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners as a Licensing Court, in and for the City of Victoria, I intend to apply for a transfer of my retail liquor license for the Jubilee Saloon, 49 Johnson street, to Mr. Walter Kippen, of this city, to be held with respect to the same saloon.

Dated Victoria, B.C., the 5th August, 1895.
td JOHN H. GEDDES.

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PERSONAL.

L. Musgrave, Duncan, is registered at the New England.

Thomas Dickson, Jr., of Ceylon, is staying at the Dallas hotel.

F. W. Gatter was a passenger to Victoria by the Sehome last evening.

J. E. Clifton, of the Standard Oil Co., is a guest at the New England.

Sheriff Widdifield of York county, Ontario, is a guest at the Driard.

C. J. Loewen and William Gill were passengers from the Mainland last night.

Charles S. and Mrs. Wheeler, of San Francisco, are guests at the Hotel Driard.

Mrs. W. Ridgway Wilson left for the Mainland this morning on a visit to friends

W. A. Harkin, a well-known newspaper man of Montreal and Ottawa, is at the Driard.

Miss Van Volkenburg returned by the Sehome yesterday from a visit to Puget Sound friends.

Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney accompanied the vice-regal party over to the Mainland this morning.

W. H. Ellis, A. Ellis and the Misses Ellis returned home from Puget Sound by yesterday morning's Rosalie.

J. C. McLagan, of the Vancouver World, is spending a few days in the city, Mrs. McLagan accompanying him.

Mrs. Bice, who has been visiting friends in the East, has returned to Duncan, accompanied by her sister, Miss Curry.

A. W. Taylor, of Colombo, Ceylon, after spending three weeks at the Jubilee hospital, is recuperating at the Dallas.

E. Rithet and J. A. Rithet, sons of Mr. R. P. Rithet, return to California this week to resume their studies at San Rafael.

Hon. G. B. Martin, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, returned from a week's visit to Puget Sound yesterday.

R. F. Tolmie, A. K. Monro and R. B Oxley were among the Victorians returning home by the steamer Rosalie yesterday.

W. H. Armstrong, Vancouver; W. L Church, Dungeness; and W. A. Johnson, Tacoma, are guests at the New England.

Capt. Gatter, Tacoma; M. H. Allan, Albany, Oregon; C. W. Anderson, Vancouver; and Commander C. Lang, R. N., are at the Dallas.

Lady Thompson and the Misses Thompson leave for the Okanagan in a few days and will spend some time as guests of Lord and Lady Aberdeen.

Captain Ettershank, James Slater, William Manson, R. Robinson and J. Harris, all of Vancouver, were among the guests at the Dallas yesterday.

Sir Alfred Wills, one of the judges of the English High Court of Justice, who is visiting the province, arrived yesterday by the Westminster steamer.

Captain James Murray, of St. Catherines, Ont., well known in this city and province as well as throughout the Eastern provinces, died at his home in the Garden City on the 27th ultimo

J. S. Willison, editor of the Toronto Globe, arrived from the East by the Charmer last evening and will make a short stay in the city. Mrs. Willison accompanies her husband on his Western tour.

C. W. Spencer, superintendent Eastern division C. P. R., arrived last evening with Mrs. Spencer and party, to spend in this city a brief part of the holiday trip they are now enjoying. They are at the Driard.

Miss Spencer and Mrs. E. D. Matthews, Ottawa; C. A. Lett, G. Griffin, J. C. M. Logan and J. Hastings, Vancouver; Dr. and Mrs. Taylor, Golden, B. C.; and J. D. W. Gaynor, New Westminster, are guests at the Driard.

THE small debts court sits to-day, Magistrate Macre presiding.

THE choir of the R.E. church will resume the weekly rehearsals on Friday evening.

THE Tacoma Chamber of Commerce excursion to the Victoria fair has been made a fixture for the 20th instant.

ROBERT BLYTHE, accused of seducing Belle Rockwood, was set at liberty yesterday. When the case was called in the provincial police court Superintendent Hussey for the prosecution stated that the Crown could not go on as the principal witnesses had neither answered his letters nor come over to give evidence. The prisoner was therefore discharged.

THIS evening there should be a large attendance at the grounds of Mrs. Smith's residence, 36 Superior street, at the concert given under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary in aid of the Jubilee hospital. The programme to be played by the fine band of the B.C.B.G.A. under Mr. Finn's leadership has been well selected and should prove most enjoyable. The grounds kindly placed at the disposal of the ladies' auxiliary for the occasion will be prettily illuminated and the house will be thrown open for the convenience of those who prefer not to sit outside. The concert begins at 8 o'clock.

TORONTO, Sept. 3.—Gustavus Braun and wife, with their nine year old son, went for a row to the island with William Robinson yesterday. The squall swamped their boat and Robinson and the woman were saved. The waves wrested the boy from Braun and he was drowned. The others were saved.

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Excited Alaskan Indians Try to Kill a Supposed Sorcerer of Their Tribe.

Horrid Rites and Incantations—Tied to a Tree to Starve to Death.

By the steamer Topeka which arrived on Monday night comes news of a nature that shows to what a pitch the Yakutat Indians can be led away through ignorant superstition and a profound belief in witchcraft.

A Yakutat Indian, the descendant of a long line of ancestors who traditionally seemed to have a compact with the evil one, took offence against several Indians, the result of a series of quarrels. To even up with his enemies this man decided to resort to witchcraft, and betook himself apart from the tribe. After several days he returned dishevelled, wild-eyed and almost famished with hunger. After staying one day in the camp he again disappeared at night; but the Indians having become suspicious he was followed by three young men. Arriving at a lonely spot, the Indian made a small fire and slowly danced around it, muttering strange words that the watchers could not understand. Then from a small package that he had carried from the camp he produced the decayed remains of some salmon. Kneeling upon the ground and still uttering words that were apparently incantations, he scratched up the ground with his hands and soon produced a human skull. Tearing away the jaw bone from the ghastly head, he next stuffed the upper part of the skull with the stinking salmon.

By this time the watchers were nearly dead with fright, for now they knew that the Indian medicine man was working out his threatened revenge. Fearful to interfere, they looked on while the worker completed his horrid task of filling the skull. Next from around his body he unwound a long piece of bark rope. At various distances apart he made knots on the rope, at each knot uttering the name of one of his enemies. Seven knots were made, then the rope was attached to the skull, which he buried, stretching the rope along the ground. This done, the man extinguished his fire and started back for camp, while the spies returned and reported to the excited tribe what they had seen. It seems that these ignorant creatures believe that this midnight incantation meant that the Indians whose names corresponded with the knots on the rope would gradually waste away and die, the one nearest the skull going first and the others following one by one.

A council of the tribe decided that the sorcerer must die and went towards his hut, shouting wildly to keep up their courage. Their intended victim heard them coming and anticipating what was meant ran almost paralyzed with fright towards the little village and sought refuge with the white storekeeper. The sorcerer was more frightened than the would be avengers, for he knew that were he caught he would, according to the death meted out to sorcerers, be tied to a tree in the forest and left to die of starvation. Apparently his mind was unhinged for so fearful did his mental suffering become that he finally seized a knife and slashed himself across the throat to end his life. The white man in the meantime warned the tribe that if they persisted in trying to kill the supposed sorcerer he would have a warship come up the coast to punish them. The fear of this kind of justice prevailed and the Indians finally became pacified by the good offices of the two Swedish missionaries who labor among them. This summer two other Indians, one a woman, narrowly escaped the fate intended for this other sorcerer. The Indians had tied them to trees, and left them to die of starvation in the belief that the unfortunates had the evil eye and had bewitched members of the tribe. White men luckily discovered both the victims and released them, though the woman nearly perished, as for several days she had been without food or drink, and was rapidly nearing death.

BETWEEN 11 and 12 o'clock last night the September Presbytery meeting came to a conclusion after a session commencing early in the afternoon. There were present: Revs. Alex. Young and D. A. Macrae, of Nanaimo; Revs. W. Leslie Clay, A. B. Winchester, Dr. Campbell and D. MacRae, of Victoria; and several elders. Much business was disposed of during the session, amongst the first of which was the choosing of Rev. W. Leslie Clay as moderator for the next six months. A deputation composed of Dr Robertson, superintendent of missions; Dr. Campbell, and Dr. Macrae were appointed to visit the Central Presbyterian church, James Bay, on Friday evening, the 13th inst., for the purpose of making a report for the adjourned meeting of the Presbytery at East Fernwood on Monday, the 16th inst. Mr. Arthur Pete, of Colwood, asked for a grant of $100 for a church building, the request being cordially recommended. After some minor business. Rev. D. A. Macrae submitted a home mission report reviewing the work of various missions for the past six months and arranging for the continuance of work for the next six months. The congregation at Union mines are taking steps to extend a call to a minister, and arrangements were made for the ordination of Mr. Foster at East Fernwood on Monday evening, the 16th instant.

THE cyclists of Victoria lost the most distinguished member of their fast widening circle this morning when His Excellency Lord Aberdeen left with the Countess and the members of their party for their Okanagan ranch. It was in Victoria that the Governor General added bicycling to his numerous accomplishments and now the wheels will go wherever the vice regal party make any extended sojourn. It was Lord Haddo that set the fashion in the family. On his arrival here from England a few weeks ago he brought his Beeston-Hunter with him and his enthusiasm soon proved contagious, his sister, Lady Marjorie; Hon. Dudley and Archie Gordon, his two younger brothers; Dr. Gibson, the staid family physician; Miss Wetterman—and finally His Excellency himself—soon being brought under the spell. To Mr. Herbert Kent (M. W. Waitt & Co.) was assigned the task of selecting and supplying cycles for the party, and Columbias and Crescents filled the bill to perfection. Canada's Governor-General rides a Columbia model 40, while Ladie Marjorie—so dear to all readers of Willie Winkle—may have something to tell them before long about a pretty little blue-rimmed No. 41 that she is very fond of and rides with both skill and grace. Her costume was made here, and consists of a short skirt, close bloomers and leggings to match. "The boys"—Hon. Archie and Dudley Gordon—proved specially apt pupils, and Mr. H. G. Lincoln, who has had the honor of initiating the party into the mysteries of balance and pedalling, says that few lads of their age "catch the idea" so quickly or so practically. If you ask the Governor-General now what is the best wheel he ever rode don't expect any other answer than—"Columbia."

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